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## CRACKSMEN TAKE \$8,000 AS HUNDREDS PASS BY

### SHORT STORIES

Fact With Fills, Factions and Otherwise.  
By "S. S."

New homes springing up in Nederland.

Port Arthur chautauqua, April 4 to 10.

Atta-boy! Bring on that baseball!

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY: Church.

SPEAKING OF RAIN: It may and it may not.

Port Neches jubilant over Humphrey refinery prospects.

Two weeks until Easter, but the bounties are in the van.

All citizens will vote to annex Model Addition Tuesday.

It doesn't take a baseball fan to rile the flame of sentiment for that park.

When the gas company and the commission deadlock a federal court explosion'll follow.

"Glad to get back to God's country"—S. R. MacFadden, new manager. E. T. E. Co.

Electric light hanging in J. R. Adams' chicken battle kept chicks scratching far into the night.

A. A. Potosi's after the auto dealers' vote. He announces he may buy a new car after May 5.

H. E. McBride took a stab at public service Saturday when he "watched the desk" while the sergeant went out with "the wagon."

TODAY IN HISTORY: Short Stories celebrates its birthday today, having been launched just one year ago. Bouquets and brickbats are in order.

SIGHTS & S. SEES: Max swing on 40 handle 20 minutes and finally stops in exhaustion. "Try it again, I'll turn on the switch," said the bimbo on the seat.

WE HAVE WITH US TODAY: The tightwad who ignored the Community Chest drive and then wonders why somebody doesn't keep the beggars off the streets.

Rotarians were discussing ways and means to entertain visiting Rotarians Saturday night. "Why, I'll know how to entertain any guests I have," Dr. Murfitt Bledsoe explained.

YEAR AGO IN PORT ARTHUR: 600 prospects called on for C. C. of C. drive. Engineer Collins returned from Winston. Port Neches bus getting ready to start. New DeSilva on trial.

Roy Stump is the meanest man in town, according to a popular vote taken in The News office last night. He whizzed into the office and asked one of those sorta voices: "Want a little corn?" The answer was, of course, the same as it has always been. Stump then raised up his hand and presented a CAN of Smith's Very Best Corn. "Crucel world!"

Stump and Lohman To Confer On 'Urban Offer With Kennedy

Port Arthur is going to find out "something definite" on the proposed interurban line between Port Arthur and Houston.

With this object in view General Manager Roy Stump of the Chamber of Commerce and Henry Lohman will go to Houston Tuesday for a conference with Edward Kennedy, the promoter, and Frank C. Jones, his attorney.

What Port Arthur is after is a direct interurban line from Port Arthur to Houston. It is explained, Mr. Kennedy is also carrying on negotiations with Beaumont.

60th C. A. C. Battalion Ordered to Philippines

Sergeant Wylie, in charge of the local army recruiting station here, is in receipt of information from post headquarters at Fort Crockett, Gilchrist, that the 60th C. A. C. battalion has received orders to embark for the Philippines some time during April.

Those enlisting in coast artillery service will be assigned to the battalion and accompany it to its new station, he said.

SHOWERS; COLDER

East Texas: Sunday and Monday, unsettled, occasional showers; colder Monday.

West Texas: Sunday, unsettled, colder in west portion; Monday fair.

FORECAST FOR THE WEEK

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Weather outlook for the period March 12 to 17, inclusive:

West Gulf states: Generally fair, except probability of rain about the middle of week. Temperature near normal.

## Port Arthur Rotarians to Spring "Deep Sea" Stuff at Model Luncheons

THE MOST SENSATIONAL mystery stuff ever unveiled anywhere is going to bring down the house at Port Arthur's model luncheon at the Beaumont Rotary convention, March 20 and 21.

This is the information handed out last night by Dr. Murfitt Bledsoe, in telling newspapermen of R. L. Drake's proposed program.

"What's the mystery all about?"

"Why it's so mysterious Rodin Drake even won't let me in on the thing," Dr. Bledsoe replied.

Mr. Drake later last night denied the reports that some of Old King Tut's favorite stock was being imported for the luncheon.

800 To Visit Port Arthur

These luncheon programs are just a part of the activities planned by Port Arthur Rotarians for the Beaumont affair. Port Arthur Rotarians are going to take an active part in the meeting and every courtesy will be extended.

Work Before Pleasure

No attempt will be made to bring visiting Rotarians to Port Arthur on Tuesday and Wednesday. Every delegate will have work to do on these days and must not be tempted to come to Port Arthur. It was decided at a meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce last night.

However, during the late afternoon and probably on Thursday, many will make trips to Port Arthur.

When they come down here the two refineries, Franklin school and other places of interest will be open to them.

The Port Arthur club will give two luncheons, one Tuesday and one Wednesday. They will be given in the roof garden of Hotel Beaumont.

As well as the deep mystery stuff planned, speakers of international note will entertain the delegates.

Many cars from Port Arthur also will go to Beaumont with pennants: "Port Arthur Rotary—Service." They will also carry signs: "Get in—Ride."

A committee from Port Arthur composed of Abe Goldberg, Dr. Bledsoe and R. L. Drake went to Beaumont Saturday for a conference with Rotary officials.

It was decided at this conference that the "Get in—Ride" sign would mean just what it said. When a car has picked up two or three men, the sign will be taken down. This will be done in order that no car will be hailed and a ride refused.

Port Arthur also is going to maintain a huge booth in Hotel Beaumont. Roy Stump, who was chosen chairman of the entertainment committee, will preside at this booth for official information. It is understood that one of Port Arthur's fairest women will be persuaded to act as hostess, in order that the booth will prove one of the popular places during the convention.

Scenes at the local refineries, waterway scenes and booklets descriptive of Port Arthur industries will be given out to the 800 visitors at the booth.

The meeting last night was attended by President George M. Sims, Abe Goldberg, R. L. Drake, Sam Schmink, Roy Stump, Dr. M. F. Bledsoe, Joe Williams, W. J. Adams and Tom Hughes.

It was decided to hold another meeting Wednesday at 5 o'clock when further plans will be made for the entertainment.

### INJUNCTION BY OWNERS; RUMOR

Fear Heavy Tax in Model Annexation, Report

ELECTION TUESDAY

All Qualified Voters of City Eligible to Vote

COMING ELECTIONS

Model Addition ..... March 12

Stock Law ..... March 17

Baseball Park ..... March 28

All qualified voters of Port Arthur and Model Addition will vote Tuesday on the proposition to annex this addition to the city.

There are three voting boxes in the city and one in Model Addition.

The call for the election only provides for the annexation; matters such as the proposed purchase by the city of sewer lines and release from taxation of five-acre tracts as residential lots will be threshed out between Model addition committee members and the city commission. The present commission has gone on record as favoring a just and square deal for Model addition.

To Await Results

There has been persistent reports during the past few days of injunction proceedings being brought by owners of these five-acre tracts from annexation, following the election. No action will be taken, however, if any, until after the election.

While there seems to be no doubt about the annexation vote carrying with such reports current as this injunction matter, it is expected that a considerable vote will be cast against the annexation.

Four Voting Boxes

The following are the election boxes and judges:

City Hall, Ward No. 1—Mark Majors, presiding judge; Mrs. S. H. Hanson, W. A. Young.

Houston avenue fire station, Ward No. 2—J. L. Ryan, presiding judge; A. F. Hahn, C. B. Whittington.

Linn garage, Ward No. 3—Rev. T. A. Davis, presiding judge; Rev. W. L. Caughan; Rev. C. W. Culp.

Model addition ward, Dr. Arthur's garage—G. C. Weddell, presiding judge; G. H. King, H. C. Crawford.

DIES UNDER CAR

Oklahoman's Neck is Broken When Auto Overturns

ALVA, Okla., March 10.—J. H. Halton died here today from injuries received when his automobile was wrecked near Hopton, Oklahoma. The car overturned when the wheels veered and Halton's neck was broken by the crash. The driver, L. McHugh, sustained slight injuries.

AN ANTI-KU KLUX TICKET BREWING

Complete City Slate Said to Be in Making

An anti-klan ticket for the May 5 city election is in the process of selection.

This was learned from an authoritative source Saturday.

It is understood that a meeting of the "antis" was held last week and two men were discussed for the mayoral race. Neither of these men have been mentioned as candidates, it is understood. At the same time it is said that neither would allow their names to be used.

It is reported that the anti-klan element intends to bring forth a "dark horse." This will be the case in the race for mayor, it is understood. The "antis," however, are planning to have a complete ticket in the field.

### First Is Last



Major J. W. Dowker, commander of the first U. S. Army unit to enter France, and the officer who directed the first American shot fired in the war, returned to this country with Maj. Gen. Allen and the last of the Rhine contingent of American troops.

Under Drug Influence

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The girl, destined for the Albany authorities, gave several fictitious names and alleged she had been under the influence of a drug when she kidnapped three-year-old Leo.

Police, questioning her to discover the reason for the kidnapping, were undecided between belief that a yearning for maternity had prompted the deed and that Baby Leo was to be held for a ransom.

Search Widespread

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William Seckler, the lodging house (Turn to Page 2 Column 1)

RETAILERS PLAN ANNUAL DINNER

Younts of National Organization Invited

Invitations are being sent out to more than 100 members of the Retail Merchants' association for the annual members' banquet. Plaza hotel, Monday, March 19, 6:45 o'clock.

E. A. Mullen, chairman of the arrangement committee, is planning to bring the attendance at this banquet up to 100, which is the record for such affairs.

C. P. Younts, national representative of the parent organization, was Saturday invited by telegram to address the banquet.

It is explained by Secretary Felix Housard that other entertainment features are being planned and Mr. Mullen expects to make this banquet one of the best that has ever been held.

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## Stolen Babe Found in Theatre

HUNT THROUGH 6 STATES ENDS

Nurse Says Drug Prompted Kidnaping

POLICE PUZZLED

Believe Yearning for Maternity Prompted Deed

NEWBURGH, N. Y., March 10.—Baby Leo Minkin, kidnapped from Albany Thursday and sought in half a dozen states, was found late today in a Newburgh theatre and the nurse who stole him from the home of his parents, Judge and Mrs. Leopold Minkin, was apprehended.

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## 'Fever Girl' is Weaker With Temperature 115.6, Pulse 124

Evenly Lyons, Human Furnace, Gradually Losing in Game Fight Because She Won't Stay in Bed

ESCANABA, Mich., March 10.—Gradually growing weaker, the condition of Miss Evelyn Lyons, "Fever Girl," is less favorable tonight than at any time since her temperature reached its record levels. It was reported from the Lyons' home at 11:56 last night, her pulse had increased to 124, according to attending physicians.

Highest of Record

The eyes of the girl, who has fought the highest temperature in the records of medicine for the past three weeks, weakened tonight.

Pages of a book which she attempted to read became blurred and she was forced to lay it aside.

"I guess I am tired," she said.

"Miss Lyons has looked death in the face as unmercifully as she would look at a motion picture," Dr. H. J. Defnet, attending physician declared.

"Won't Remain Quiet"

The high temperature of Miss Lyons tonight was directly due to her refusal to remain in bed today, Dr. Defnet said.

"She won't remain quiet," he said.

Miss Lyons is kept on a liquid diet and ordered to remain in bed but the moment she can seize the opportunity she jumps up and roams about the house.

The fever-girl complained of pains in her head and blurred vision.

"Miss Lyons is of a highly nervous and excitable temperament," Dr. Defnet declared. "Outside of this she is perfectly normal. Before her illness she had a normal temperature."

Special Thermometer

"I have only known temperatures to run above 107 degrees in extreme cases of sun stroke,"

Defnet received a specially constructed thermometer from a Syracuse, N. Y., firm today, which registers as high as 124 degrees.

"Taking Miss Lyons' temperature was more or less of a guess until I got this instrument," he said.

The ordinary thermometer registers only as high as 114 degrees.

When her temperature ran above this figure I would have to estimate the temperature by gauging the fever with which the thermometer broke."

Defnet has received scores of letters from physicians in many parts of the country, asking for details of the case and requesting an opportunity to examine the patient. He declared he was perfectly willing to have any reputable physician visit Miss Lyons.

CENTRAL PEN SYSTEM URGED BY COMMITTEE

AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—Recommendation that the penitentiary system be centralized and established within seventy-five miles of the city of Austin and that it be located upon high, dry and fertile land and upon the main line of a railroad, is made in the majority report of the joint committee of the senate and house which inspected the prison system.

The majority report is signed by all members of the committee except Senator Lewis who submitted a minority report.

## GOV. NEFF CALLS SPECIAL SESSION

Will Re-Convene Thursday Morning

CONSIDER 5 SUBJECTS

Executive to Demand Action On Failed Measures

AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—Governor Neff issued proclamation at 12 o'clock calling the legislature in special session Thursday morning, March 15 at 10 o'clock.

Five subjects were submitted in the governor's proclamation for the special session, as follows:

1. To provide sufficient funds by every means known to the constitution and statutes of Texas to properly maintain our public schools, our eleemosynary institutions, our Texas government and all her institutions.

2. To make appropriations within the available revenue for the support and maintenance of our schools our state eleemosynary institutions and the Texas government.

3. To vest the courts of Texas with effective authority to remove from office any officer against whom it can be proven in open court and before a jury that such officer has willfully and corruptly failed and refused to enforce, as he took an oath of office to enforce, the laws of the country.

4. To pass such laws as will make effective the provisions of the federal constitution and the provisions of the Texas constitution which prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages.

5. To consider and act upon such matters of vital constructive importance as may be presented by the governor pursuant to section 40, article three, of the constitution of Texas.

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To pass such laws as will



# Celebrating National Bicycle Week—March 11th to 17th

## WEEK NOW OBSERVED

### Many-Wide Demonstrations Are Being Made

The seventh annual "Bicycle Week" is being observed as a county-wide demonstration of the many varied benefits and advantages to be obtained by old and young people through the use of a bicycle.

This is the seventh successive year in which the joy and savings of cycling have been brought to the attention of the general public in a most effective and most spectacular manner. "Bicycle Week" was successfully the forerunner of the special week idea for the emphasizing of the cycling characteristics of a community and the present wide cycling activity in the United States is due to a considerable degree to this annual spring demonstration.

"Bicycle Week" serves as the special period of the year when bicycle enthusiasts advance the many arguments in favor of cycling for economic, health, pleasure, sport, and general utility. The importance of the bicycle as an independent form of individual transportation is undoubtedly appreciated now more than ever before. The average man or woman now has little or no time to waste for common conveniences such as street cars and railway trains. Much time is lost in waiting for a trolley car, and when the car does come it is generally crowded. The natural desire is for some form of individual vehicle that adds convenience, saves minutes, improves health and is generally useful seven days in the week. This is where the bicycle comes in. The bicycle is now more popular than ever before from the utility standpoint.

The trusty bicycle has always formed the cheapest vehicle of transportation. In this respect it is hardly likely that the bicycle will ever be supplanted by any other means of personal transportation. Authorities on the subject point out that even walking is expensive when compared with cycling. Moreover, cycling is twice as easy as walking and three times faster. The bicycle will never pass out.

## Nederland Notes

By MRS. J. M. CARTER

After a lapse of several weeks the Diversion Club was entertained by Mrs. W. K. McCauley Thursday afternoon with three tables of "Rook," high score falling to Mrs. C. T. Ingverson. Tempting refreshments of sandwiches, olives, cakes, topped with cherries were served to the following members: Mesdames R. E. Williamson, C. L. Freeman, Chesnut E. Williamson, C. T. Ingverson, J. L. Black, J. M. McCauley and to the guests, Mesdames Fred Rouch, Jno. Morgan, Berthel Cooke, Chink Humphries of Beaumont and Mrs. Rube Jordan of Port Worth, Texas. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Ernest Williamson.

The ladies of Nederland met at the high school building Wednesday afternoon and organized a Parent-Teachers' association. Mesdames Chapman and Weldon of Beaumont were present to help organize. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Jim Goodwin, president; Mrs. Jno. Morgan, first vice president; Mrs. J. L. Price, second vice president; and Mrs. J. L. Black, third vice president. Mrs. L. Kaeleney, secretary. About 40 ladies were present.

A crowd of the "younger set," chaperoned by Mrs. E. P. De Long, motored to Humphreys' docks Sunday afternoon to enjoy the outdoor sports and a regular picnic feast. The following were present: Misses Ruth and Ellen De Long, Daisy Price, Lennie Handsett, Pearl Fore, Kate and Bell Davis and Messrs. Martin Waggoner, Arthur Davis, Garretts Burnfield, and Jno. Reinstra.

Miss Lois McElheny chaperoned her Camp Fire girls to Humphreys' docks early Saturday morning for an all day outing. Those present to enjoy this treat were: Margarette Crowell, Kathryn Reinstra, Katie Kaeleney, Maude Flowers, Dena DeVries and Miss Lois Blaine.

Miss Alberta Page accompanied her Camp Fire girls to Port Neches park Saturday for the day. Breakfast being cooked on arriving at the park. Camp Fire girls present were: Violet Nelson, Edith Oakley, Lottie Louise Crowell, Juanita Goodwin.

The girls of Miss Page's class presented the Methodist church with a beautiful silver individual communion set Sunday. These girls deserve lots of credit for their earnest efforts to secure this service. They sold candies, popcorn balls and chili during the noon hour at the high school.

## Improve Service By Use of the Bicycle

Telegraph companies estimate that their service in suburban and rural communities has been improved 25 per cent in the past year through the systematic use of bicycles. Boys lucky enough to possess bicycles used them in messenger service as far back as twenty years ago, of course, but until recently there was no organized effort made to equip the messengers with the swift and reliable two-wheeler.

Some telegraph offices now supply their messengers with bicycles, while others make it easy for the boys to purchase their own bicycles. In any event the service is vastly improved, the boys are kept in better physical condition, and their all-round efficiency is notably increased.

## Port Neches News

MRS. N. OAKLEY Correspondent

Major Logan of Port Arthur was a Port Neches visitor Thursday. Representative J. O. Merriman is seriously ill at his home here.

R. B. Hibb was a Beaumont visitor Thursday.

Mrs. W. T. McAlpine, Mrs. L. B. Brook, Mrs. C. E. Hanson and Mrs. G. A. Goodson were Port Arthur visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Maud Lonsdale was a week-end visitor in Beaumont last week, the guest of Misses Ione and Pearl Geraldine Farrar concert Friday night.

Mrs. C. F. Gentry, Mrs. C. E. Nicholson, Miss Loring and Mr. and Mrs. Oakley were Beaumont visitors Thursday.

Mrs. F. Marvin spent Thursday in Beaumont.

B. C. Johnson spent Monday night in Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tinner were Beaumont visitors Thursday.

Dr. J. G. Welch is out again after a week's illness.

J. E. Welch was a Beaumont visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson of Villaville, Mo., have moved to Port Neches.

Tom Minton of Beaumont was a Port Neches visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Williams, Mrs. C. E. Nicholson, Mr. H. McDonald and Mrs. N. Oakley attended the organization of the Order of Railway Girls in Port Arthur last Saturday night.

A. C. Bigelow has put material on the ground for the erection of a handsome home on the Beaumont-Port Neches road, one mile from Nederland.

Mrs. E. H. Tribble is recovering from a recent serious illness.

Mrs. J. O. Merriman was a Beaumont visitor Thursday.

Miss McMahon has been added to the high school faculty in capacity of Spanish teacher.

J. E. Hunt of Port Arthur was a business visitor here Thursday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Bell Monday night, a baby girl.

Miss E. Stovall left Thursday for Muskogee, Okla., where she was called on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Lorena Malone, Miss May Kennedy and Lawrence Kramer, attended Jefferson County Epworth League at Roberts Avenue church in Beaumont Tuesday night.

Matt Johnson and family have moved to Beaumont.

Boy Scout Troop No. 2 will entertain the other troops of Port Neches and Nederland Saturday night on all-day meet. Troop No. 2 has just purchased a new ball equipment. They will compete with the other troops in a basketball game in the afternoon.

Master Steve Henry of Port Arthur spent Wednesday here with his aunt and uncle, Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Hassler.

## BICYCLE CALLED NATIONAL ASSET

### Over 4 Million Now in Use Throughout U. S.

The bicycle is a national asset utilized but not realized. It is estimated that approximately 4,000,000 bicycles are in use in the United States, 3,400,000 in the British Isles, and nearly 4,500,000 in France. In the latter country bicycles are registered and taxed so that the number of bicycles is definitely known.

By far the greater majority of these millions of bicycle owners use the wheel for utility purposes. They use it because it is so easily adaptable for getting about easily and quickly. It is handy, simple in construction, and costs next to nothing for upkeep. It saves time and money. At the same time such use of the bicycle keeps millions of people in good health.

The fact is that the bicycle has been absorbed into the routine of everyday life. Only a comparatively small proportion of the four million devotees of the bicycle are enthusiasts. It would not be true to say that the bicycle has ceased to be a "cult" and has become a commonplace. Even if we except the very lively and intelligent class who constitute the "real" cyclists, it must be imagined that the nation has turned from cycling as a pursuit to cycling as a convenience. The facts are—and this is the crux of the matter—that the great majority of the four million have never tried "real" cycling.

It is a paradoxical position, and one which is easily understood because of its possibilities. Four million people, say, make use of the bicycle for riding to and from work, putting calls, shopping, canvassing, attending sports of all kinds, delivering goods, desultory "round-the-corner" rides, and so forth. And yet they do not know, or do not care, that they have in their hands an instrument which could make such an immense difference in their lives, if properly adapted and understood.

The proportion of "real" cyclists is even smaller in this country than in any other. One of the greatest problems facing the bicycle industry today is how to induce the growing public to take up cycling as a sport or recreation, and to consider the bicycle as something more than a hack or toy for the youngsters. As long as this viewpoint remains unchanged the sale of bicycles will be limited to certain restricted fields, but make cycling a popular sport, like golf, for instance, and the demand would take an immediate jump.

## WOMAN, 72, IS DEVOTEE

"Is the bicycle beautiful?" Does it keep one fit? The manufacturers always have claimed that general health and fitness are promoted by the use of the bicycle.

Not long ago this claim was substantiated. At Federalburg, Md. lives Mrs. Laura Williams, Mrs. Williams is 72 years old. Recently she rode a bicycle 12 miles to call on a friend. Late in the afternoon she remounted her wheel and rode back home. She made the twelve-mile trip in one hour and twenty minutes, and made the return trip in about the same time.

## AMERICAN WHEELMAN IS STILL FUNCTIONING HERE

It may surprise a great many of our readers to learn that the old League of American Wheelmen—called the L. A. W. in the old days—is still functioning. The officers are: Thomas H. Hill, president, Cambridge, Mass.; Wm. L. Lockhart, vice president, Philadelphia, Pa.; and Abbot Bassett, secretary and treasurer, Newtonville, Mass. Mr. Bassett also is editor of the L. A. W. Bulletin.

Beginning Monday night there will be a teachers' Sunday school course held at the Baptist church. It will last several days.

## WOMAN PASTOR WEDS FORMER CHOIR SINGER

WINSTED, Conn., March 10.—An announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Charlotte Belle Brown, pastor of the Congregational church in New Boston, Mass., near here, to Frederick Porter Whitney, a prosperous farmer of South Sandfield, Mass.

Whitney is a widower, about 62 years old, and his fiancée is about twenty years his junior. Miss Brown has tendered her resignation as pastor.

Mr. Whitney has often sung in the New Boston church.

Past Saturday night and Sunday morning.

Mr. Bedford Forrest of Port Arthur was a guest of friends here Thursday evening.

Mesdames Dawson, Black and Hoffman attended the Eastern Star meeting at Port Neches Friday night.

Miss Teresa Kaper continues to improve after a serious illness.

Mr. Jim Goodwin and Mr. Jones were transacting business in Beaumont Thursday.

Mrs. R. D. Dawson was shopping in Beaumont Wednesday.

There will be no preaching service at Methodist church Sunday morning but usual services at 7:30 Sunday evening. This being the second Sunday.

The Missionary Society will meet Wednesday, March 14, with Mrs. J. R. Cooke. Miss Emma Thompson will be the leader for the afternoon.

## HOLLAND GOES STRONG ON BICYCLES IS CLAIM

Holland certainly represents the bicycle enthusiast's idea of heaven. Groningen, for instance, a city not much visited by tourists, this year staged its 225th anniversary and wound up with a grandiose tournament. Outside the stadium a five-acre field was comfortably full of bicycles. A bright Sunday afternoon, the cycle traffic is exceedingly congested. All day long the country roads present a steady procession of "bicycles"—two abreast on each side of the road, carrying people of all ages—for no one who can walk is ever too old or too wealthy to ride a wheel in Holland.

## MOVIE ACTORS' TRAVEL BY BIKES IN THE WEST

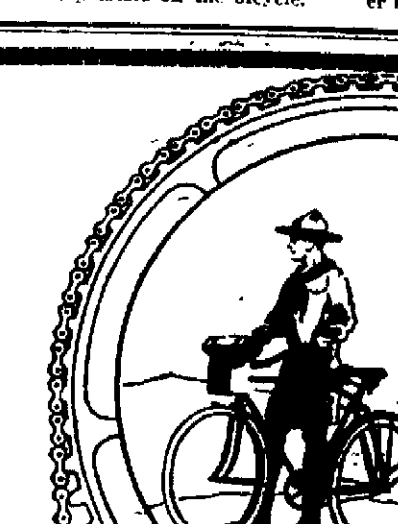
A brand new idea in outdoor recreation has been developed by the boys and girls of a middle western school, who work up "movie" scenarios, and then make the rounds of the various "locations." The trips are usually programmed for a Saturday or holiday, and as the bicyclists travel from "scene" to "scene" they cover many miles of interesting country.

The chief requirements are imagination and bicycles.

## BIKE MADE POSSIBLE AUTOMOBILE OF TODAY

Major G. A. Wenice, of London, Ontario, has this to say apropos the bicycle:

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## Sabine Pass News

By Miss K. Teah Johnson

Miss Mary Page attended the County Epworth League Union in Beaumont this week, returning home Friday.

J. Edgar Pew, Mr. Pack, the superintendent of the Sun Company, W. P. Markly, and A. C. DeWoody were here inspecting the pumping plant Friday, and reported that the work on the High Island oil well was favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alexander of Beaumont visited Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Johnson Sunday.

Miss Tash Johnson has been visiting in Beaumont for a few days.

The Woman's Missionary Society held the regular monthly business meeting Tuesday, and planned a party for St. Patrick's Day in order to raise money to send a delegate to Jacksonville, Texas.

## BIKE SAFEST

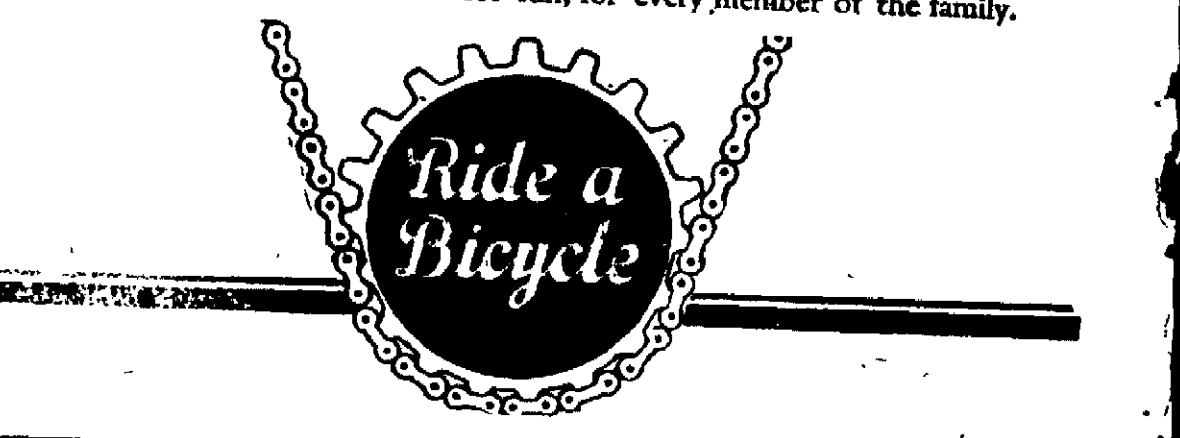
Traveler's Head Declares Bikes Are Best

According to a statement made by President Louis F. Butler of the Travelers' Insurance Company, the bicycle is about the safest means of transportation in use today. Says Mr. Butler:

"The number of accidents in the home is only slightly smaller than the number of automobile accidents. Those sustained in sports and recreation come next in number; and then (accidents sustained in travel). Still smaller is the percentage of accidents due to the horse and vehicle; and the accidents due to bicycles are still fewer than these."



FROM the seat of a bicycle you see things with the rest of the boys—go places where they all go—do things as they all do them—are with them always, enjoying the great outdoors, growing strong, happy, manly. Dad will be glad to go with you and pick out your favorite model—he'll want one, too, chances are. For the bicycle, with its low initial cost and upkeep, is the most economical means of transportation, the most healthful and enjoyable, for work or for fun, for every member of the family.

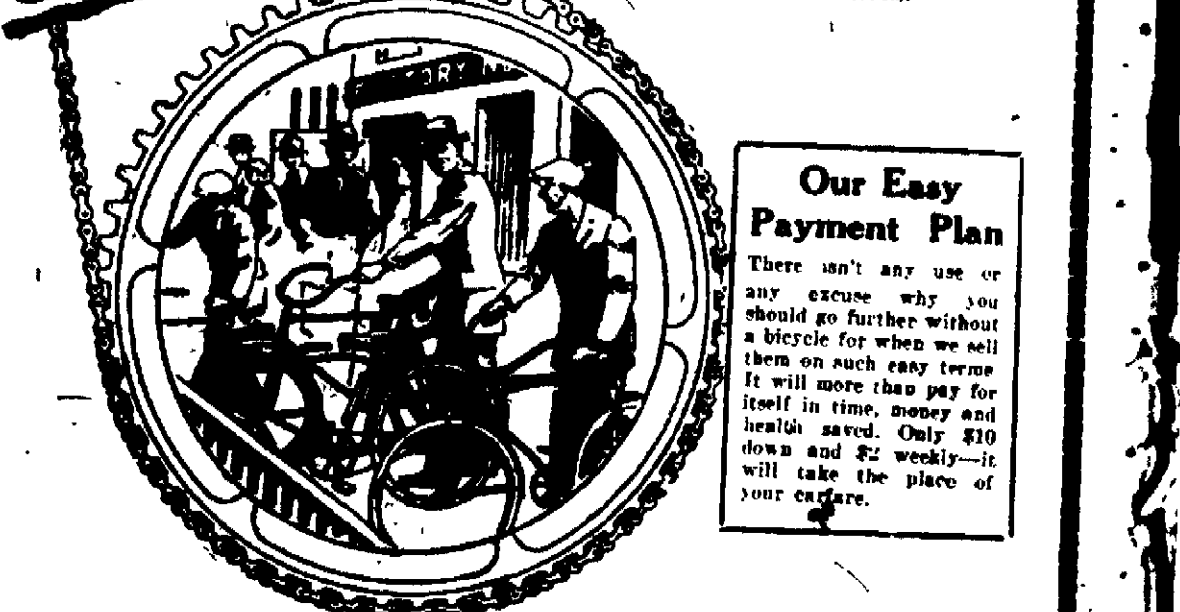


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# Spring Number



*Advent of the New Spring Styles  
in Wearing Apparel for Men, Women & Children  
New Developments for the Home-Beautiful*





by Muriel Mertens

# The Cavest of Patterns for Spring

By MURIEL MERTENS

With the coming of spring what woman does not feel a longing for exquisitely lovely colors after the somber winter ones? The softening air and the first sunny days suggest the glorious colorings of summer. So now, Dame Fashion, ever capricious and inconstant, selects new shades for her favorites. And one of the first of these is green—Lavin green. Even the name has an enchanting sound. The color is that soft, delicate green like fresh, unknown grass. How exquisitely refreshing it will be on the hot days to come. Green suggesting, as it does, fresh growing things and the soft shadows of trees, makes you feel and look deliciously cool. And still another favorite is Madeleine rose. It is an old saying that a woman in love longs for a rose-colored gown and fresh violets. Perhaps instinctively she knows how flattering is this delicately warm shade. But this summer when a riot of color is all the rage, all the light, bright shades are quite in vogue.

But these colors, instead of being in the flat tones which have predominated for so many months, are found in the most intricate and unusual designs on a neutral background. In fact, this passion for the all-over design is the most distinctive characteristic of the season. Almost every fabric is printed, beaded or embellished over every seemingly available inch of its surface.

## Long Lines New

The gracefully becoming, long lines are still the newest—yet they are not the same, for in some subtle way we seem to grow cleverer in our ability to drape them with more artful simplicity. Oftentimes the newer frocks are caught into an elaborate buckle on the left hip—buckles of strangely wrought gold or clear, gleaming crystal or richly colored stones. At other times they are caught into knots of the material, forming a little draping on that side.

## Simplicity in Frocks

An evening frock of the approved Greek simplicity, which is most becoming to the slender figure has a deep "V" neck in the front and back. The frock hangs straight but both the back and front are draped into a huge pearl ornament on the left hip. From this ornament hang long strands of pearls which almost reach the ground. Underneath this ornament the skirt opens to show the gleaming silver of an underskirt. It is in clever ways like this that the long, straight lines are made possible for dancing or walking without the graceless, mincing step of the too tight skirt.

## Modes of Afternoon Frocks

It is on the glorious sunny days of summer when one watches the sun, light sparkling on the waves and the yellow sands or spends a deliciously lazy afternoon in the cool shadows of the country club porch, that the season shows her loveliest interpretations of the mode for afternoon frocks. It is on just such an occasion that one will be permitted to see a beautiful little georgette frock, made quite simply with a light blouse and a little draping at the side, where the material falls in a point just below the hem line. But it will owe its smartness to the myriad beads which gleam and glisten on its soft, dull surface. Perhaps this frock will be sleeveless, for the sleeveless afternoon frock is quite the rage, but it will be just as much in fashion if its whimsical wear happens to prefer a little short, high sleeve or one of those wing-like appendages which have recently been appearing as sleeves.

**Silk Crepe Frocks Show**  
If one wanders further on such a sunny day, one is certain to meet one of those gaily patterned silk crepe frocks. It is in these frocks that the mode expresses its present love of the strange interwoven designs. The sleeveless patterns are on a white ground, but the bright, brilliant colors lead their devotees to the brilliant transition of color.

**With the Spring Weather**  
The brightness of vogue is so bright on sunny days, so if you think of the sun, the mode of dress of vogue quite

as brilliantly figured as the silk ones. Other dainty little frocks achieve this same effect by having the figures embellished.

It is not in the least surprising that the coat frock is a very great favorite again, for it would be difficult to conceive of anything either more stunning or more practical. However, they have certain marked differences from the coat frocks we wore last year.

Now and again one sees a slender little miss with a graceful circular skirt, but more often the skirt is straight with first a circular flare introduced into it. One charming coat frock of serge has a circular flare of crepe set in at the closing of the frock. This is not only smart, but extremely practical as it gives freedom for walking without destroying the straight one-piece effect. The wide revers which covers almost the entire front of the waist is of this same crepe.

## Unusual and Varied Sleeve

Bar doubtless the most cleverly varied and unusual part of the afternoon frock is its sleeve. The long, tight sleeve is the greatest favorite of the coat frock. But it must never be a plain, tight sleeve. Far from it. Over some long, slender hand will fall a circular cuff reaching to the knuckles. Or in a ray of color fashion this circular cuff will be turned back, forming a gauntlet. Then another tight sleeve adorning this gauntlet fashion will assume three gauntlets whose combined efforts almost reach the elbow. Or a favored way is to have three circular flares, turned down, the top one a few inches below the elbow and the lowest one falling

over the hand. The sleeve of the suit in or of a frock may start out to be long and tight, but at the elbow it is very apt to change its mind and end by being full and flowing, quite as fashionably, however, it may be a full flowing sleeve straight from the shoulder.

The three-piece suit is still in high favor for spring. It is such a convenient and becoming costume, particularly for afternoon, when one drops into a restaurant for a tea or goes calling. The lovely blouses which go with it are open at the neck, making really a very dressy costume, appropriate for almost any and every occasion of the afternoon.

An almost limitless choice is offered your fancy when you are choosing the blouses for one of these suits. If your taste inclines to the Oriental, a blouse of Persian patterned silk will suit the mode as well as your personality. Of course, it will be long-waisted, cut to fit snugly about the hips or gathered into a tightly fitted band.

Now and again a button cleverly played will hold the jacket snugly about the hips that it has a tendency toward a slight blouse or perhaps it would be quite frankly a little blouse and gathered into a tight band at the hips. With these jackets the line of the skirt is straight. There may be a little draping at one side, but not a circular flare.

## Variations in These Suits

As often as not the three-piece suit consists of a dress instead of a skirt and a costume blouse.

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Easter costumes demand that ankles be encased in the sheerest of hose. Van Raalte pure thread silk and chiffon ones, plain or with clocks, in black and light colors.

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## FROCKS

### with the Printed Vogue PROMINENT

Frocks are exotic in their use of printed fabrics—for crepes, Deauville prints, knitted weaves, voiles and the horde of "crashy" materials to come in with the new season are all gaily printed. Tan and grey are two smart shades where street and sports frocks are concerned.

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## SUITS

### Have Piquant Coats That FLARE

Debonair, indeed are Suits! Short box coats or those that pertainly flare—as well as youthful boleros—give Suits youth-giving lines. Many have coats of contrast fabric to skirts, or those braided and embroidered in Oriental fashion. Tan and grey are new suit shades.

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## WRAPS

### With Many a Device of COLOR

New wraps are more elaborate than they have been in years. Sports modes have buoyant box coats, the capes are elaborately embroidered and plain in all wool velours, crepes and silks. All shades of tan, brown and blue, some are black. Fringed and uneven hem styles.

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Color plays a leading role in Spring Lingerie news—also the more durable of the Lingerie silks. Colors include orchid, flesh and maize. Silks—radium, crepe, weaves and glove silk. Philippine and batiste styles as well as silk modes stress step-in sets.

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sports, of course, you are wearing sports clothes. For the sports costume, which year by year has been becoming more and more popular, has reached the topnotch of fashion and is just the thing to be worn almost every hour of the day. It may be because we are more keen for sports, it may be the effect of the ever-present country club, but surely one great reason is its youthful dash and smartness. It is so unusually becoming to every age and type.

The Jaquette or overblouse which was worn so much last season is here in a new form for sports. Fashioned of various novelty cotton materials, all vividly figured, or of colorful raffine, they bid fair to be in high favor for a morning on the links.

Among the newest sweaters, for the women actively engaged in sports are rather mannish ones. Many of these are checked in a tiny diamond shape pattern with a plain border or sometimes with plain sleeves also.

Of course, the high round neck sweater is still very good. And even more daringly original are the strange designs which encircle it. In addition to the American Indian designs there are now and even more gorgeously elaborate figures. The shipon sweaters also show the silver diamond-shaped checks. But whatever kind of a sweater you choose, one thing is certain—if you are slim it must be belted.

## Finely Pleated Kascha Cloth

There is a little grace about finely pleated Kascha cloth, which makes it particularly suitable for our more active hours. In white, gray or a soft tan, worn with the vividly patterned blouses or sweaters, it makes a costume which will be seen frequently at the most fashionable country clubs. And as beautifully lined as the rubino were the figured silk crepe skirts, fashion's latest creation. Of course, these are particularly lovely with the single tone blouses. The new

wool or silk-and-wool shirts are severely distinguished by unusual button hole loops and pockets, and now and then drama work.

**Handkerchief Completions** Wardrobe But no mention of the sports costume is even had until one has heard all about the handkerchief, of in all verity it has secured the most important place in our wardrobe. The more gaudily colored these silk handkerchiefs—for that is the handkerchief's newest form—the smarter they are. Some are tied loosely about the neck in true cowboy fashion with the knot in front or on the shoulder. Others deftly knotted about the hips form a fascinating giraffe for a long-waisted frock.

## WORK FOR BLIND WINS FREEDOM FOR WOMAN

JOLIET, Ill., March 10.—Only the formality of signing parole papers stood between May Clark, an inmate of the women's reformatory, and freedom, granted in recognition of her work while in prison transcribing classics into Braille characters for blind readers.

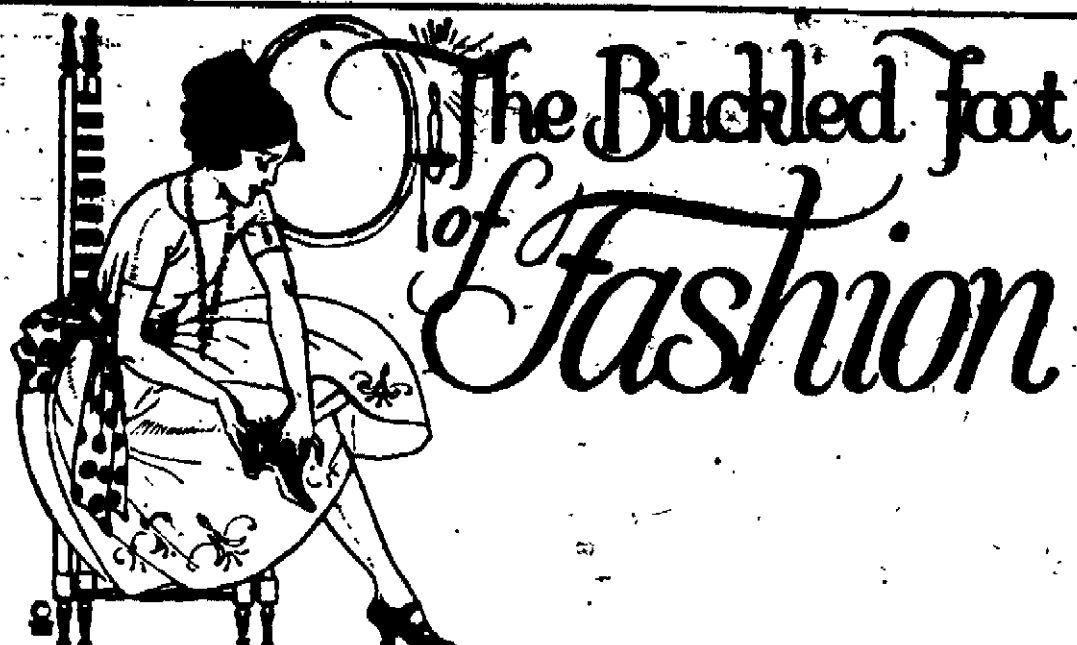
Four years ago May Clark, known as Margaret Edwards, entered the prison to serve one to 10 years for perjury in the trial of two of her husband's associates for robbery of a bank at Madison, Ill.

The two men were convicted. The body of Clark, the convicted woman's husband, was found in the Mississippi river, its throat cut. It was said he had objected to receiving only \$2,700 as his share in the robbery.

## TO CONTINUE DIPPING

CENTER, Texas, March 10.—The commissioners court of Shelby county has ordered resumption of dipping of cattle this spring. The county has spent \$75,000 and it is expected that the work will be finished this year.





Nowadays one of the first dictates of fashion is becomingness, so it is sometimes hard to lay down any hard and fast rule about what "they" will wear and what "they" will not wear. The wise woman adapts the style to her type and gives little individual variations which make our costumes so much more interesting.

So if one should say that every slipper must have a buckle, the next day one might see the smartest of slippers quite unadorned. However, if any rule could be laid down with absolute finality, it would be that slippers must be buckled.

We dress so much more artistically nowadays—particularly in regard to our footwear. A smart frock is never really charming unless everything else really goes with it. So in the clever choosing of our footwear we change down into a complete costume.

**For Evening Wear**  
The most elaborate and strikingly beautiful silk brocades are the newest materials for the evening slipper. And the effect of these various-colored, rich looking slippers below a simple cut frock is really unusually beautiful. Many shades are to be seen mingling in each slipper, but the predominant tone matches or, at any rate, harmonizes with the frock. Gold or silver kid frequently forms the heels and the trimming of these slippers, but as often as not the slipper is entirely of the brocade.

However popular these slippers may be, gold or silver cloth, either plain or brocaded is still seen to fashion the slippers for many of the smartest.

As for the cut of the evening slipper, your choice is practically unlimited. Some have tiny straps which seem to almost wind themselves about the ankle, while the plain slipper is very new.

**Buckles of Hearty**  
The plain slipper, velvety entire, upon an elaborate strap buckle for its adornment. And so magnificent are these buckles that it needs no more. And large as they are, the newest thought is to have them made even larger by putting behind them a fluted or ruffled tongue of the material. One slipper even had such a tongue composed of tiny colored feathers.

The buckle of the strap slipper is much smaller and set on the strap just at the top of the instep. Another way is to have the buckle placed at the fastening. But one thing is certain, whatever style the slipper may be, the heel is sure to be very high.

**Afternoon Slippers**  
The smartest afternoon slippers first make sure that the toe is of patent leather. After that countless variations of style are offered them. They may be all of patent leather. But probably they will have inserts of some colored suede—usually some shade of tan or gray. When these colors are chosen to harmonize with the frock, the result is an extremely smart costume. The cut steel buckle is the one which is used with these and, in fact, all afternoon slippers.

The all-suede slipper, while not the newest, is still in very good style. Sometimes they yield to the vogue of patent leather by having a patent leather heel and binding next to the sole. Or perhaps the patent leather will be found as a saddle strap.

**For Street Wear**  
For walking and for wear with a street frock, the low heeled strap slipper of a combination of suede

## FOR YOUR INNER GRATIFICATION

BY MURIEL MERTENS

It is a fact well known to every woman, that no matter how carefully or how modestly you may be dressed, you never feel quite at ease unless you have that inner consciousness that your lingerie is just the most exquisitely dainty and feminine that can be found. Self-possession is very charming in a woman. And that knowledge that one is dressed with perfect taste, both inside and out, brings a very lovely poise to any woman. With this knowledge in the background of her mind, she can forget her clothes entirely and devote all her energies to being entertaining or entertaining.

Some women will always love the fresh daintiness of lingerie of cotton or linen, no matter how beautiful the silk models may be. And when one sees the sheer daintiness of undergarments of handkerchief linen exquisite with hem-stitching and real fillet one is certainly tempted to agree with them. Particularly for summer there is something so fresh and clean about them. Triple voile which wears like iron yet looks as delicate as chiffon is another great favorite both for underthings and night gowns. And what entrancing colors it comes in! Delicate green or a soft, pale yellow, lavender and countless shades which are quite as lovely. These colored underthings are usually very simply made. Batiste with its lovely silk sheen is also frequently seen.

**Undergarments of Silk**  
But the woman who loves the soft luxury of silk will find just as many exquisite models to uphold her in her preference. The silk night gown and underthings are beautiful in white or pink as well as the more unusual shades. Sometimes they are trimmed with wide lace or embroidered in contrasting shades.

The vest chemise and the step-in drawers are beginning to usurp the place of great popularity which was held for so long by the envelope. Sometimes the knicker is worn with the vest chemise.

The cut of the newest night gowns has been greatly influenced by our present mode in frocks. Many have a bateau neck—lower, of course, than a bateau necked frock. The front and back of the neck are straight, but the lowness is achieved by having them connected over the shoulder by four or five inches of ribbon or lace strap across the shoulder. The armhole is made by an opening cut straight down under the arm for five or six inches.

Chiffon daintily lined or black is and black leather helps to make a stunning costume. One model which is very good is of suede with black leather toes and heels and a black leather strap holds close to the foot a large tongue of suede. Of course, if you choose a low heeled walking oxford you will make no mistake—particularly if that oxford be of a suede and leather combination.

For the softly shimmering frock of some late summer afternoon, the dainty white slipper of kid, buckskin or linen, is the appropriate finish. When these afternoon slippers have straps they are pinned now and then in some bright colored kid.

With the sports costume the buckskin oxford with a leather saddle strap will be most frequently seen.

still need to make some of the most exquisite of our lingerie.

**The Lingerie of the Future**  
The lingerie of the future is the very latest creation for our more luxurious hours. It is not only beautiful, but an ideally comfortable garment, in which to spend a few hours of relaxation. There are such gorgeous advocates of this fashion! Black is quite a favorite for these pajamas, though the lighter colors are by no means put in the background. Black velvet, magnificently embroidered in color or black velvet trousers with the gayest of silk jackets. The Oriental influence is clearly seen in one model with orange velvet trousers and a Persian patterned silk jacket. Exquisite silks and lustrous satins fashion many another charming model.

For the woman who does not care for the pajama mode, there are many daintily feminine negligees. Silk covered with chiffon and with long trailing chiffon sleeves and a low placed girdle is a charming fashion.

With the negligee or pajama a wide matching bandeau is appropriate and so becoming.

## FORD PLANS EXTENSION OF PLANT IN ONTARIO

FOHIO, Ontario, March 10.—Ford Motor of Canada has begun construction of the first unit of its extension program. Property adjoining the present plant was recently acquired for approximately \$1,000,000 and covers 125 acres.

The building now under construction will have more than 3,500 machines and employ about 5,000 men, with a capacity of 10,000 machines as production increases.

## TELEPHONE POLES REMOVED

VICTORIA, B.C., March 10.—The Southwestern Telephone company has materially helped the beautification of Victoria by the removal of all its telephone poles from the business district of the city. All wires have been placed underground in the main business districts.

## LOOKIT! SPRING STYLES IN BOYS' CLOTHES



by Raymond S. Schellie

M.A. get me a suit like the one Jerry got, will you? I don't want any of that kid stuff, because I'm getting too old, now."

The young fellow of today—the scamp, husky boy—will not have to say this to his mother this year because the suits, clothes are offering this spring surely make the young fellow look like a man. And rightly, too, because he's beginning to take on a serious atmosphere in his school life and his social functions.

Every boy has his father before him as the ideal of manhood and he wants to be like him, and to accommodate him father has even compromised and let his styles come down to such a place that models are very, very similar.

**Tendency to Plainer Styles**  
For the high school and university boys, however, some stunning styles will, of course, be worn by the young fellow who wants to be eccentric and out of the ordinary, but the suits offered this spring have such beautiful lines and are fashioned so perfectly that there will be no desire for these models with frills and odd little trimmings all over.

When the young man steps into these first trousers he wants to lose all the specialties of the short pants suits; he wants to look like Dad, so he looks for the plain-fashioned garments. These he will find in beautiful stripes, which will be the popular vogue this spring, and a varied selection of tweeds—which will run a good second to the stripes.

## Juveniles Demand Style

Even the little fellows of knicker age are becoming "finicky" about their styles and they, too, have come in for a share of the manufacturer's cunning. The clothes this spring will certainly make the younger boys "feel like a million dollars."

They have all the fineness that the garment maker puts into the men's clothes, the rugged wearing suitcases—which, of course, mother looks for—just enough style, classiness and dressiness to make not only the little wearer feel proud, but to make Dad look at his boy with thoughts of "if I wish I had clothes like that when I was a kid."

Norfolk will naturally be the prevailing model for the boys, but they'll come in many, many attractive variations. However, they will all have one

thing in common, the ever prevailing belts, yoke backs, panels, box and knife pleats as well as plain or patch pockets.

**For the Little Fellow**  
Wasn't middle get the call this year for the little fellow. Garment makers are realizing the great value of putting practicality into their products. They have never been so lavish with it as they are this year in the wearing apparel for the little ones.

Fabrics of the strongest material have been used for the wash suits and middies, in very attractive colors and designs—just the thing for the sturdy boy who romps and plays—and would just as leave tear a lace suit as well as any other.

The Oliver Twist and Tommy Tucker suits are being shown in many models as well as many one-piece suits with washable saaten waists and black and dark colored straight pants.

## Little Change in Headwear

There is little change in the style of headwear for the juveniles this year, although hats to match the suits of wash fabrics are becoming predominant. These are all in fast colors and washable, too—again illustrating the practical thoughts of the manufacturer.

For the older boys caps of fine woven fabrics in the light spring colors will be the vogue. Caps of tweed material are also very evident, due to the demand for sport clothes of tweed material. The one-piece, large tip cap seems to be the thing. Hats in light greens and tans will be worn for dressy affairs.

Haberdashery has undergone but slight changes, with a trend to the silk ties, plain and pin striped shirts—with collar attached—and a slightly higher collar. The greatest change seems to be in shirts with a heavy predominance for the collar attached shirt in all worn colors. Silks are due to be worn more, but the day of the wide stripe is gone and manufacturers are turning to the conservatively colored, pin striped or white silk shirts.

## Low Shoes Popular

There is a steady trend in shoe fashions, in the youngsters, as well as the older folks, to the oxford. Low shoes of strong wearing quality seem to rule the field this spring. For the

Most follow these are many models in plain colors in black and tan. Many about the rough tan side of canvas, on the ground, with good working qualities, but like that and long lasting. The old young fellow (this is a fact to the lighter weight shoe without the heavy trimmings of the lamp). A certain amount is presented in the outside of this cap that one of the young fellow with a spring adaptation.

## Carnegie Medal is Urged for 4-Year-Old Hero Saving Brother

PRINCETON, Tenn., March 6.—A Carnegie medal for heroism will be asked by local citizens for James Wesley Woody, 4, who yesterday saved his two-year-old brother's life, when the latter fell in a pond near their home.

The younger child slipped on the muddy bank and sank out of sight. James leaped in the water after him, and miraculously managed to pull him out.

## End of Death Penalty Urged in Canada Bill

OTTAWA, March 10.—William Irvine, M. P. for East Calgary, will do away with capital punishment. A great many petitions in support of this change have been received by the government.



They come in fawn grey suede, bronze kid, and brown satin, all are the newer shades. Colonial with 16-8th Louis heels. They are of extra high grade quality, and one of the above colors is sure to harmonize with your new Spring costume.

## Kahn's Shoe Parlor

The Home of Good Shoes

## Black Transparent Hats \$15 up to \$25

When first thoughts of Spring come to mind, it is the hat that claims madam's attention.

For tomorrow we have received an excellent showing of transparent hats of rich blackness, some of hair braids and laces, others of black milan.



These are large hats of more or less floppy brims and for trimmings, they take exceptional well to lacquered fruits, ribbons and burnt goose.

Among these black hats you are certain to find one of your type. On display Monday.

An overflow of pretty things for Easter wear invades every department

## New Things As Seen by The Ad Man in the Art Department

Stamped linen towels of pink or blue were very tempting at 25c.

A luncheon cloth of pure linen was of Love-Kind design and was lovely indeed, just \$1.50.

An entire luncheon set of heavy linen with colored border hemstitched on was marked \$4.98, napkins included.

Stamped centers and scarfs of pure linen at \$1.50 were of those very new shades—mulberry and orange.

Stamped pillow cases at \$1.50 were hemstitched.

Among the things for children, I found pongee rompers and dresses at \$1.25.

Did you ever hear of "Claire de Lune"? It's a new silk and wool yarn that sparkles in many shades, 85c ball.

A very complete assortment of little boys' wash suits. Very pretty new styles in different color combinations, one and two piece styles sizes range from 2 to 7 years.

A very complete selection of boys' silk knit ties in many pretty bright and solid colors. Both Windsor and four-in-hand.

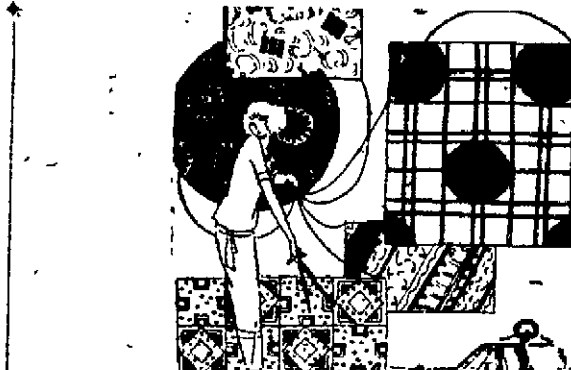
Novelty Jewelry

You would be wearing some new novelty jewelry had you seen these yesterday. But there are plenty of them left for tomorrow.

Novelty head necklaces in oddly designed beads, and all colors are priced 25c to 35c.

Ear drops, many with clusters of grapes in all colors and other novelties, 50c to 75c.

Cordelia and Sauters of many types and colors are priced \$1.50 to \$3.50.



## SPRING FABRICS—Both Silk and Wool

**English Tweeds \$2.49**  
36 inch wide, English tweeds in blue, tan and rose as well as plaid effects, \$2.49 is special.

**Wool Cantons \$2.50**  
38 inches wide in this wool canton that comes in black, navy, brown, tan, open, old rose and light shades.

**Cross-Stitch \$4.95**  
56 inches wide, wool yarn woven over a net foundation, for skirts, suits, capes and sweaters, several shades with a distinct stripe.

**Alltime Crepes \$2.98**  
For sportswear was this Alltime crepe designed, 36 inches wide, choice of black, navy, brown, seal, cocoa and deer.

**French Crepes \$1.25**  
In dots, silk stripes and crepes come these pretty French crepes in lavender, yellow, tan, blue and grey.

**Chiffon Taffetas \$2.69**  
Special price, this 36 inch chiffon taffeta at \$2.69, it comes in black, navy, brown, tan, open, old rose and light shades.

**Paisley Cotton Canton Crepes \$1.25**  
It comes in all colors and is 36 inches wide, a mercerized cotton canton crepe of paisley designs.

**Wool Ratine \$2.50**  
Wool crepe ratine of 44 inch width in pretty plaids of camel, cocoa brown and brick.

## NEW THINGS—From Here and There

**Red Seal Ginghams 25c**  
A new shipment which brought in the new checks in all colors.

**Spring Trimmings**  
You should see these very new buckle ornaments, and braids of ratine, silk, mohair and of course military braids.

**Children's Purses 50c to \$1.25**  
Purses, boxes and novelty bags of assorted leathers can be had in any color.

## Outfitting the Boy for Easter IS A PLEASANT TASK AT BLUESTEIN'S

The problems of fitting the boy out for Easter is pleasantly solved at Bluestein's. Our two stores carry the most complete selections of boys' wear to be found in the city. New Spring merchandise in the newest styles and patterns.



## Boys' Blue Serge Suits \$7.95 to \$12.95

A very complete showing of blue serge suits for boys, for Easter wear. Many new spring styles in storm and French serges of extra quality materials. All sizes from 7 to 17 years.

## Boys' Palm Beach Suits \$8.50

Boys' genuine palm beach suits in the newest spring styles in neat pin stripe, check and plain patterns. Navies, browns, greys and natural color. Sizes 7 to 17 years.

## Boys' Wash Suits 98c to \$3.98

A very complete assortment of little boys' wash suits. Very pretty new styles in different color combinations, one and two piece styles sizes range from 2 to 7 years.

## Boys' Extra Pants \$1.50 to \$3.98

Boys' extra pants in genuine palm beach, hard finish worsteds and woolens. Very neat spring styles and patterns to choose from.

## Boys' Belts 50c to \$1.00

Boys' leather belts in brown, tan and black. Several different styles and widths. Neat silver plated buckles, all sizes.

## Boys' Neckwear 50c to 98c

A very complete selection of boys' silk knit ties in many pretty bright and solid colors. Both Windsor and four-in-hand.

## Boys' Hats and Caps 75c to \$2.50

Boys' straw hats in many new styles and shapes, boys' palm beach and wool caps, wash hats for little boys. Sure-fit and adjustable and regular sizes. All the newest patterns.

## Boys' Shirts and Blouses 75c to \$2.50

Our stock of boys' shirts and blouses is most complete. Percalines, madras, pongee and aro linen in all new spring patterns. All sizes from 6 to 14 years. With or without collars.

## Your Shoes for EASTER



No doubt you are thinking of and planning your Easter attire already. No doubt you are debating what kind of shoes you are going to get to go with your spring costume most appropriately. We took all this into consideration when we were buying our spring shoes and are now in position to meet your every demand. No matter what your color scheme is we have shoes to harmonize with every hue.

## Keith Shoe Co.

500 Procter "Henry Toe" Phone 60

## Bluestein's TWO STORES

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## Goldberg's "WHERE STYLE BEGINS"



# The Youthful Mode

by Muriel Maxwell



cut problem which any mother has to face. One very successful way to solve it is to let him wear a straight little suit of blue linen in which the straight knickers are fastened to the waist by a belt of white linen edged with tiny narrow ruffling. Sometimes the knickers are fastened to the top by means of large wood buttons a couple of inches apart which permit their way about his waist.

The smartest possible hat for a little girl is a small affair with a rounded crown and the narrowest kind of a brim. It might well be called a stepping stone between the bonnet and the hat.

Socks and flat little single strap slippers are the smartest footwear for children. Patent leather slippers for "boots" and dull leather or white buckskin for their energetic hour of play.

## Gun Ruins Landlady's 'Full House,' Captures 'Pot,' Then Absconds

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10.—Two dapper men presented themselves at Mrs. Eugene Robinson's boarding house in search of a room.

Mrs. Robinson informed them that she had "a full house."

One of the men asked a \$100 bill lying on the office desk.

"Well," he replied, drawing a revolver. "I guess this takes the pot."

Neither men nor money have been seen since.

SCHOOL FUNDS ADEQUATE SMITHVILLE, Texas, March 10.—At the last meeting of the Farmers' Teacher association, Superintendent Barry presented figures showing that a saving of over \$3,000 was made over last session in teachers' salaries and this, with the state aid recently appropriated, would run the schools the full nine months' term.

GROCERY STORE DESTROYED MCKINNEY, Texas, March 10.—The store building owned by the J. J. Thompson estate, in the western suburbs of McKinney and occupied by Walker Brothers, with a \$2,000 stock of groceries, was destroyed by fire. No insurance was carried on the building and only \$1,000 on the stock.

Now for we are removed from the fashion of the style for children was a miniature of the style for their parents. And it is really quite reasonable that becomingly childish fashions have been developed for children.

From the mode for children has a distinct and separate existence. Of course, now and then it is influenced by the older fashions, but it does not follow them slavishly. When one thinks back just a few hundred years to the time when little girls of six or seven wore frocks which reached the floor, we realized what a long way we have traveled.

It is on this question of length that the childish mode has definitely decided to go its own way, for their little frocks and coats are quite as short as ever.

**Frilly Frocks of Children**

When the little girl under ten goes to a party, she is quite likely to wear a frock of finely pleated rose-colored chiffon with a bertha of plain chiffon, edged with fur. Or she may choose a delicate pink crepe de chine with an edging of tiny ruffles and spots. Or if she would look quite simply smart she may choose to be clad in the most delicate of filmy blue taffeta. The younger she is the less apt is she to have any belt line

on her frock. They will just hang short and full from the shoulder. Her sleeves will be quite tiny—hardly more than caps and she is certain to favor the bateau neck.

If she is a little older, her frock will have a long blouse with the belt fine just at the top of the hip. When this little miss attends a party it may well be in a gorgeously crisp taffeta frock of a sunshiny yellow trimmed only with a quaint little garland of flowers about the hips. Or if she likes the softness of chiffon she may wear a frock whose long blouse is of a heavenly blue taffeta with a three-tiered skirt of softly ruffled blue chiffon.

**White Linen for Playtime**

When the younger miss spends a glorious sunshiny morning playing on the sands or in some cool shaded wood she will be quite the fashion if she wears a white linen frock with yellow linen binding the Peter Pan collar, the short full cap sleeves and buttoned front. This frock also hangs straight from the shoulder. With it are worn white linen bloomers to match which are also edged with yellow. All the light shades of linen are very becoming to children.

Rose, bright yellow, green and blue linen with white linen trimmings

made in this straight simple style are charming for children.

The gaily checked gingham are also very appropriate for these simple little frocks. As she grows older, the young girl of under fifteen is very apt to copy her street clothes from her older sister's summer sports attire. A straight, pleated skirt, brilliantly checked, worn with a single-toned sweater and a white Peter Pan collar is a very suitable costume.

**Three Piece Suits**

However, if she requires something a bit dressier than this, she might have a three-piece serge suit. The dress of one model of this type has a long, straight blouse with a bateau neck and a finely pleated skirt. It is worn with a straight close-fitting little jacket.

The simpler the dance frock of the girl of this age, the better dressed she is.

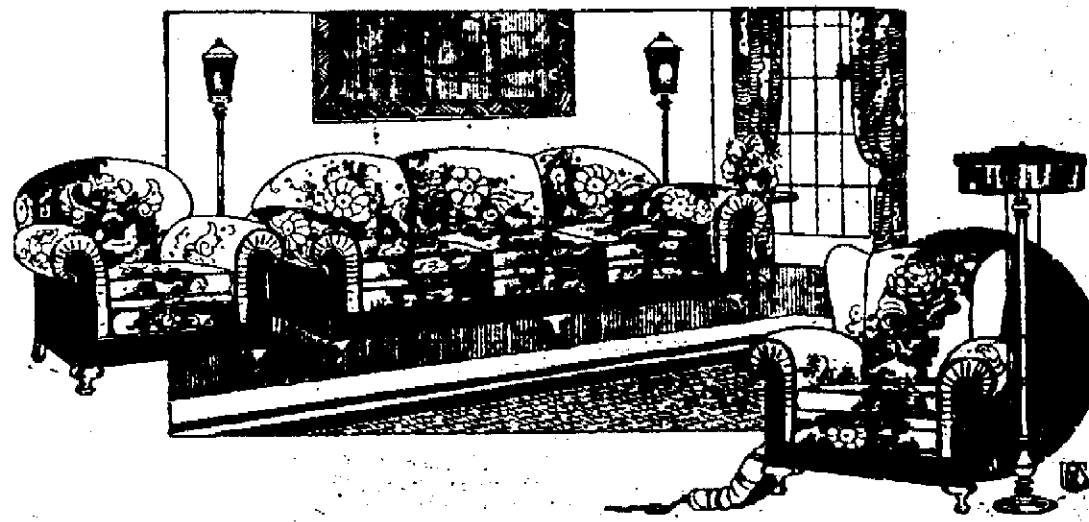
Green taffeta fashions just such a frock which is smocked at the waist and hipline. A bouquet of old blue and green flowers at the waist has long streamers of ribbon which reach almost to the bottom of the skirt.

**For the Little Man**

To clothe the young man becomingly and appropriately when he first puts aside dresses is the most difficult

# March Winds hold no Inconvenience for you IF

—your home is timely furnished. March winds bring many sudden changes in weather. At times you are forced to remain at home all evening—then again, guests are detained for the night. Think of these possible circumstances—then make the most of home-furnishing opportunities offered you at our store this month.



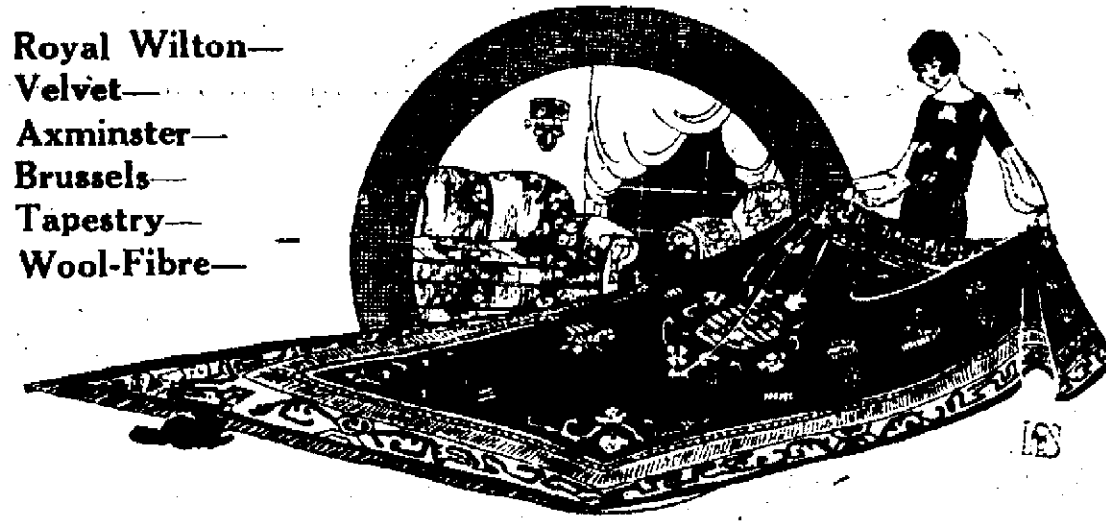
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## The Rehearsals for the Coming Easter Style Promenade are Taking Place Here



**E**ASTER just three weeks away—no wonder women are busying themselves in preparation. And at The Hodges Co. daily you will see individual rehearsals of what will be worn Easter, the day that blooms with fashionable, new spring garments. Such a delightful season is this that arrives with Easter-tide. Our salespeople have caught the enthusiasm and with the courtesy that ever pervades The Hodges Co. they are waiting and are anxious to serve you best. Selections are at their best at the present writing.

## Suits

A wardrobe may be incomplete today, yet by Easter, everything must have been selected. The suit plays an important part, some are strictly sport affairs, others for street and travel are always wanted, while still others of three piece are extremely dressy. Navy, along with new greys and new tans are popular.

## Capes

If there is one garment that is typical of Spring, it is the care-free cape with its far-flung lines, with its brilliant color combinations and silk linings that are certain to be seen. Capes, coats and wraps come in many shades and more styles and still many, more trimming ideas.

Right into the summer these capes will carry you with a certainty of correct style.

## Frocks

Easter without a new frock or several new frocks is impossible. New Paisley designed silks are combined with flat crepes, taffetas, satins, crepe de chine and the very new silhouette in colors of a score or more differences.

Bright as an oriental bazaar, becoming as the candle-glow, and of even more interest are their reasonable prices. Some very beautiful models have arrived during the past few days.

With gypsy carelessness, the bandanna knows no time or place—or rather knows them all, and feels at home everywhere in the mode.

Paisley designs, 1.95 to 4.95



"Vanity—all is vanity" is reflection upon the into this beauty box—equi provide immediate. All colors, special at 3.75



## New Spring Woolens

The season of sport is at hand, and hand in hand with sports attire are these new woolens of various weaves and colors. In addition to serges, poiret twills, colorines and shepherd checks, there are

### Spring Tweeds

At \$2.75 to \$3.95—all shades, plaid, heather mixtures, checks, plaids and stripes.

### New Flannels

Flannel shirts, in plaids and stripes, all colors at \$2.75.

### Woolen Capes

All wool capes, in navy, green, red and brown, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

### Sport Crepe

36 inch silk and wool sport crepe, in series, strawberry, Nile green and sweet pea. \$1.50 yard.

### Wool Canton

36 inch wool canton crepe, in mohawk, navy, camel, all-mixed green, red and copan, \$2.50 yard.

### Empress Suiting

54 inch Empress suiting, in navy and tan, priced \$3.95 yard.

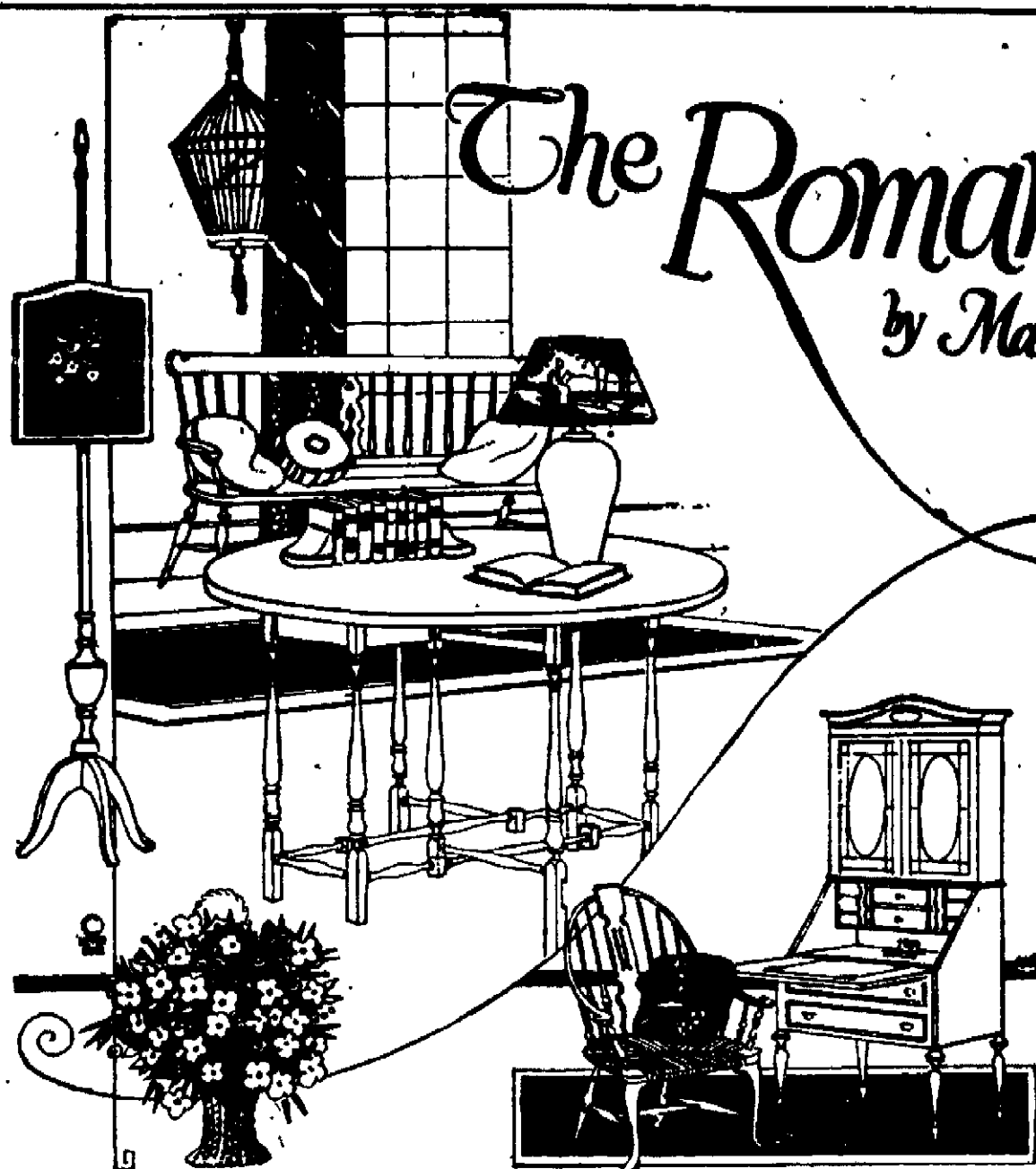
### Broadcloth

Chiffon broadcloth, 54 inches wide, in navy and new shade of camel, \$3.95 yard.

### Wool Checks

Sport woolens in brown, black and canary small checks, 54 inches wide, at \$3.95 yard.

A wealth of loveliness on the outside is sufficient reason for the existence of these hand bags. The contents won't matter so much. Of plain and fancy leathers, silk lined, 2.25 to 4.95



# The Romantic Interior

by Marjorie Howe Dixon



You know the bleak cold look of individual personal touches that give a collection of furniture in a store window where the arrangement is for to suggest an interior, and in an effort to lighten the effect, flowers, curtains and cushions are added. What is it that is lacking that makes the whole effect repellant instead of homelike? Well, it just hasn't that atmosphere of being lived in, those

individual personal touches that give a really comfortable look to a room. For one thing, there is only an occasional window decorator who will dare scatter books around—it does take a little courage. He certainly could come a little nearer his desired effect if he would remember books or magazines.

The home of the newlywed couple has that department store furniture section look. The bride has not yet dared to depart from the conventional and somewhat hard arrangement of all her new things. And things obviously new are hard to arrange, when it comes to that. Their glossy newness has to rub off a little before they can be assimilated and a homey atmosphere produced.

It is sometimes asked, why do people keep going back to periods in selecting furnishings? Why not be ultra-modern? The answer seems to lie in that question of romance, of charm, that quality to which we all respond, that seems so inherent in period furniture rightly used. (Of course, one doesn't have to buy real

antiques—for some of us they are quite out of the question. But there are so many good reproductions that no one need be denied these interesting old patterns.) In this question of using the periods rightly lies a great part of the difficulty. It has been said of some decorators that they create stage settings for their clients, that have no

more relation to the current than the previous arch to arch. The Americans the study of the use of periods must necessarily involve the study of the history of the time creating them. History lessons are our ideals and modes of living are some of the court periods. The style of certain periods were evolved from extravagant, over-decorated, and luxurious court life. These periods have been followed by reactions toward severity, which bring out simpler lines and patterns in furniture and are much more in keeping with our natural point of view.

**Blending of Periods.** In passing let us speak of the Director. The quality of simplicity and sincerity found in much of the furniture of that time find a quick response in our native instincts. Pieces from the Director will blend well with our American colonial period, and the two will create a subtle charm—that indefinable air of romance.

Another point to be considered is the modern demand for soft deeply cushioned chairs, with their luxurious comfort. It takes little skill to fit these pieces into our romantic interior but it can be done. It might be mentioned here that down-filled cushions and spring cushions are in demand for these pieces. Tapestries in colorful embroidery are fitting, or spots of lovely needle point decorate these inviting lounging spots.

**The Dining Room.** When it comes to color, color is a vital point in our romantic interior. A dining room that rejoices the eye and the aesthetic sense as well, comes to mind. At first one saw the very interesting glass curtains, not thin nor pale in tint, but full of color, of striped taffets. In lavenders and greens. Chairs edged with black made the long drapes and the valance.

Then one became conscious of the dull walnut furniture—chairs with cane backs and seats, a long, low buffet with a separate unframed mirror above it and a high silver chest. The floor was most unusual, a black and oyster gray check-board linoleum. Ivory paneled walls made a quiet background.

For the little touches in this quaint room, long green mats of coarse linen were spread on the table and the buffet, while Spanish pottery set the table.

Speaking of the relation of china to the colorful scheme brings to mind a rather dignified and formal effect

achieved in another dining room. Here the walnut was the base, the chairs were covered with a dark red velvet, and the table was a dark wood with a dark red cloth. A window with a heavy red curtain was hung with a red velvet. There was a lot of gold, a lot of red, and a lot of velvet, and so on with a first impression of artificiality and border, decorated the table.

**A Romantic Dining Room.** For living purposes the dining room is a room of great attraction these days and more and more originally is being shown in its furnishings. Isn't there the least touch of romance in the dining room chairs—those great roundly spread backs, rounded over with a graceful curve? Whether in only a detail new and unexpected livable and lounging chairs covered with gleaming silks are a comfortable possibility.

Then in one corner of one can place a table with two iron chairs placed tete-a-tete. And all around, of course, in hangings, in cushions and in table mats one finds splashes of a brilliant cretaceous in coral, black and purple on a cream ground.

From the sun porch to the breakfast room is perhaps just a step. Here painted furniture has its own charm, perhaps finding its charm in cream and blue Windsor chairs, set about a similarly decorated table. Blue burlap was used for heavy drapes with a valance of chintz, in this particular room and the dull lavender of pottery from France with bands of blue, set the pretty table and the sideboard.

**Beautiful Bedrooms.** Can you imagine a Georgian bedroom with lavender and emerald green taffeta drapes? You can undoubtedly. A most interesting canopy arranged itself at the head of the bed. It was draped from a good corner of the wall, depending from a fine net, and spread out below, finally ending in long drapes to the floor. Heavy looped drapes of the same material hung at the windows. The bed spreads were of changeable lavender taffeta. Another pretty conceit was the hanging of separate mirrors over both the bureau and the dressing table.

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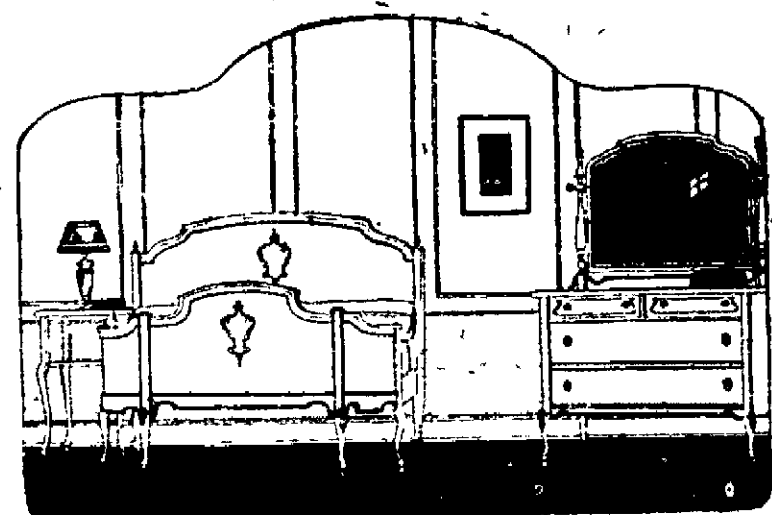
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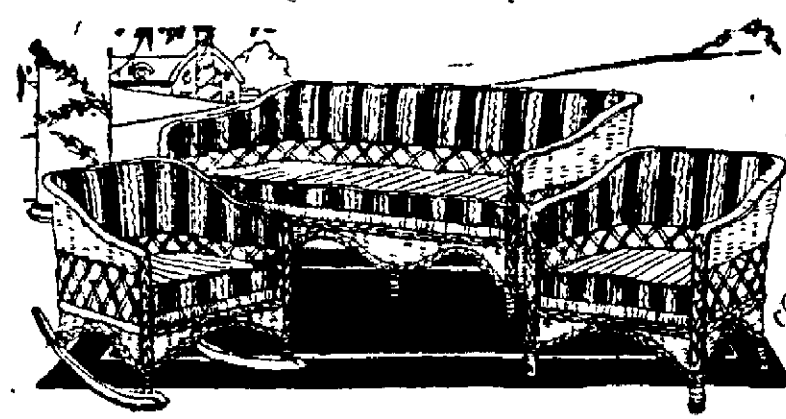
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\$57.50

Ivory breakfast room suites of six pieces consist of drop leaf table, four chairs and serving table—ivory enamel finish. Some are plain, others novel in design. \$38.50 up.

### Italian Walnut

### Breakfast Room Suites

Of rare finish are these solid Italian walnut suites for the breakfast room. Two benches, two chairs, drop leaf table and serving table, priced \$177.50. Polychrome trimmed.

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\$157.50 Up

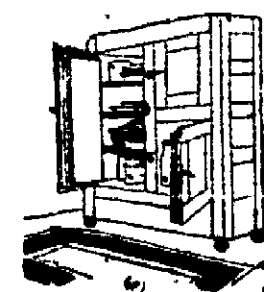
Queen Anne dining room suites of American walnut are priced at \$157.50 and \$167.50. The table is oblong, the buffet is large and the chairs have blue leather seats. Five straight chairs and one arm chair. Sold on easy terms.

### Renaissance Two-Tone Suites

Choice of Italian oak or Italian Walnut beautifully designed dining room suites of eight pieces. The five straight chairs and the arm chair are tapestry upholstered table is oblong and buffet large. Priced \$233 to \$238.50.

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This Tudor designed dining room suite of two tone, light and dark oak is very new. 30 inch buffet, china cabinet and oblong table, tapestry upholstered chairs—five straight and one arm chair. Priced at \$277.50 it's a remarkable value.



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## To Top the Mode with Smartness

by Mimi Mertens

It is often said—and quite truly—that you can always tell when a woman is wearing a new hat by the gratified, pleased expression on her face. Somehow, with a becoming new hat she feels well dressed, no matter how old and shabby her frock or how out of fashion her shoes. A smart hat really does set off the costume as well as the face, marvelously. But perhaps the wisest idea is to have a hat which is suitable and appropriate with the rest of one's costume. In fact, the real secret of being well dressed is the ability to wear things that go well together and are becoming to you. The woman who has very few costumes, but makes them complete by having her hat just perfectly suited to her frock and her shoes, gloves and hose, in perfect accord, will always look well dressed, even though she wears that same costume every day in the year.

Unless one keeps strict rein on one's self, one is apt to see some charming little hat in a shop window whose great appeal lies in the fact that it is wholly different from the things we have and of which we are tired. If, in addition to this it is becoming and the safely is clever—we are lost and buy it without further thought. But this really is not necessary, for never before have we been offered such countless varieties and variations of the millinery mode.

**Smart Street Wear**  
For street wear the little felt cloche is still quite the smartest. Generally the crown of the cloche is high and is either rounded or cone shaped. But in the brim and in the trimming the variation is infinite. One smart little model has a narrow brim turned

down so sharply in front that it resembles a bonnet and in the back it goes to the other extreme and turns up so abruptly that it is flat to the crown of the hat. It is trimmed with a fuzzy little pompon far back on the right side. This tendency is seen on countless smart hats. The trimming is way back on the right side and now and then even moving right to the back.

Another smart cloche has a narrow brim turned up on the left side and abruptly down on the right. Flat against the crown, pointing down to the right shoulder is a quill.

Frequently one will see a little ribbon cockade sewed flat to the crown of the hat.

Still other styles of the cloche will be turned up in the front and an extremely narrow brim turned down in the back. When this is the case a fluffy little pompon will be seen clinging closely to the right cheek.

**Stiff Felt in Vogue**  
A very unusual combination has recently come into great vogue with these stiff felt hats. A narrow banding of silver or gold on the edge of the brim and sometimes a band of this same cloth around the crown. The felt hats of any of the many shades of gray are trimmed with silver cloth, while those of brown favor the gold. In these little hats, dark blue and black are conspicuous by their absence.

For sports wear this felt mode is quite the most popular. The shape is just the same as the street hat, but the trimming is much more simple. The ever favored little bandana is drawn tightly across the turned-down brim of many a smart little hat which will take its way around the

split in the brim in two large loops over the right ear. Many a graceful fully draped veil is used in this same manner.

In fact, this tendency of all trimmings to go to the right was carried out to such an extent by one smart Parisian that she wore a long sinuous carrying on the right ear only, leaving the left ear quite unadorned. It is rumored that the evening hat, which has been about so long, is returning to high favor. It is really quite a natural development when one stops to think about it. Bandeaux have been growing wider and more elaborate than ever. So some clever milliner just put a tulle top on a wide bandeau and the evening hat was in vogue. And after it had gone that far naturally "little tulle" was added. This does not mean that the bandeau is going out. Just the opposite. For the wider and more elaborate the bandeau that is worn with a formal frock, the smarter the costume. It just shows our tendency to wear some sort of head covering at every possible moment. This desire for headgear is certain to last while the bobbed heads are growing out, for it solves many a problem of hair dressing. And the person of whom the simple smooth style of coiffure is unbecoming—and unfortunately there are many such—is sure to follow this fashion with enthusiasm.

**Veils Winning Favor**  
The veil is enjoying high favor this season and quite deservedly. On a windy, blustery day of early spring how trimly smart and dashing is the wearer of a veil. And how

hardly seems likely that many Americans will carry this fashion to such an extreme, but it does show how strong this tendency is. However, these large hats do not as yet enjoy the popularity of the smaller one. And though they may burst into highest favor any day, it is hardly possible that the fashion will continue for long.

With the soft, dainty summer dress the hat is usually softer, though there may be a little stiffening in the brim. It is a very charming fashion, too, to keep our stiff hats for our more tailored costume. And a soft crushed little model is so lovely with a dainty dress.

**Evening Hat to Return**  
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great in her costume when she knows that her hair is not bothering about her face but is just as it was when she last peeped into a mirror. The graceful folds of the draped face veil seen so often in the afternoon are very flattering, too. And countless are the ways in which such a veil may be draped. A gold veil covering the crown of a brown hat and falling in loops close to the face would surely be a prized addition to any wardrobe. Or a small hat may allow its veil to hang straight down in the back, but be draped up a little under the chin. This slight draping is held in place by pins placed close to the edge of the veil. Where these veils are worn the hat is very plain and without any other trimming. The veil itself is very elaborate. It may be beautifully figured at the edge or of some delicate light color.

### American Films Far In Front in Brazil

**RIO DE JANEIRO, March 10.**—Brazil, with an enormous European population, especially the rich state of Sao Paulo, where there are more than a million Italians, and the states of Rio Grande do Sul and Santa Catharina, where the majority of inhabitants are German, prefers the North American moving pictures.

The super-productions of De Mille, Griffith, Ingram and others, the comedies of Harold Lloyd, Douglas and Mary, and Charles Chaplin, and the Far West with Bill Hart, Tom Mix and similar big-gun men dominate the Brazilian cinema market. North American domination has been maintained since 1914. With the beginning of the war, the European productions began to lose ground until today the movie house that hasn't American films on its program is certain to fail as a commercial enterprise. The European producers

are doing their utmost to regain the lost market, but their efforts are in vain in face of the indifference the public shows toward the Old World productions.

In the southern states of Brazil, where German colonization is most notable, the German films even have failed to supplant the American films. Similarly, in the state of Sao Paulo, where Italian colonization is an evident, the Italian films are not preferred to those from the United States.

In the famous "Baixio do Ipiranga" the "Little Italy" of the city of Sao Paulo, there are six moving picture shows, all of which exhibit American films daily. The type of films preferred in Brazil are two chiefly: In the larger cities such as Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo, Belo Horizonte, Bahia and Pernambuco, the luxurious super-productions; and in the interior towns and villages, where man is loved or hated according to his "metals," the films picturing the life and customs of the Far West and the bravery of the cowboy.

**TO OBSERVE MUSIC WEEK**  
**TEMPLE, Texas, March 10.**—National music week, March 18 to 24, will be observed here, the Parish Teacher association and Choral club taking the lead in arranging an adequate program. The Pastors' association has endorsed the movement and pledged co-operation of the city churches.

**LEGIONNAIRES BANQUET**  
**GEORGETOWN, Texas, March 10.**—Life in camp and trenches was recalled by various speakers at a banquet given by the American Legion at their headquarters in Georgetown.

**PLANT LARGE ACREAGE**  
**LOUISIE, Texas, March 10.**—Corn planting has started in earnest and a large acreage will be planted during the next ten days or two weeks.

## Spring Opening

### Delayed On Account of Not Being Able to Move to Our New Home

We wish to take this method of apologizing to you for not being able to have our Annual Spring Opening early this year as has been our custom. Since circumstances that are uncontrollable prevents this we want to ask your apology. However, workmen are working at topnotch speed to complete our new building and if nothing happens it will be finished in a very short while. We have already bought complete stocks for every department and

### New Apparell Is Arriving for Every Department

Every nook and corner will be filled with the most wonderful displays of the new and lovely things for spring and summer's wear. Our ready-to-wear department will be greatly enlarged and therefore selections will be much larger than heretofore. If we could only tell you of the many new and dainty frocks, capes, suits and other things—tell you of the many lovely colors and combinations—the new style creations—but we can't so you will have to be contented for the present and wait till we open in our new home.

Our new store will have many new departments that we have heretofore been unable to carry on account of the crowded condition of our store. In the past we have only carried those things that we thought were the most necessary but in the future we intend to have every thing that you could possible desire or demand. Glance over the new departments that we are going to have and you will readily be convinced that Deutser's New Store will be Port Arthur's Greatest and largest department store.

#### Millinery Department

The Millinery department will be a new addition to our store. All the newest of fashion's decrees will be found and hats of all shapes and colors of every hue will be among the large selections.

#### Hosiery Department

Although our hosiery section has always been very popular, it will be much more complete when we move to our New Store. Most all of the leading brands will be found.

#### Below Are Listed the Many New Departments We Will Have

Look over the departments below, then you will readily see that after we get moved there will be nothing you want that you can't find at Deutser's.

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- Juvenile Department
- Shoe Department
- Boys Department
- Art Department
- Millinery Department
- Toilet Goods Department
- Beauty Parlor

#### Corset Department

Much careful attention will be given to your figure in our new and much larger corset department. Nothing but experienced corsetiers will be employed and perfect fit will be assured.

#### Dainty Spring Gloves

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# Men "Blossom out" in new Spring Styles



By OTTO A. ENGEL.

SIMPLIFICATION seems to rule the men's clothing industry—simplification in style, in fabric and in pattern. Conservatism, with few variations, appears to have the call this spring and summer.

The jazz models, which made such a burrah last year, and which went strong in some sections of the country, but were rejected in other parts, apparently passed the height of popularity and now are on the down grade. While a few makers, who were successful in putting out the jazz output, will continue along these lines, the better manufacturers have turned down these styles almost completely.

There will, however, be shown a variety of these freakish styles, but the production is so small that it is almost insignificant. No doubt the death knell has been rung.

**Three Variations Noted**

Two distinct variations—possible three—will be noted in the new styles for young men. The ultra dresser will wear very fitted models. High waist, high gorge, that is, a short collar, high lapel, high chest effect, slim waist, long vent and long opening skirt are the principal features. The effect of the longer skirts makes the coat appear longer which is not the case, as the length is about the average.

Rope shoulders also will be noteworthy characteristic on clothes of this type. Some coats are made with a high outside cash pocket. There will be both notch and peak lapels, but the lapels will be shorter, more shorter than in past seasons. Two and three buttons will be used.

**College Type of Clothes**

Next comes the college type of clothes, which will be of softer construction than heretofore, with low collars, short lapels, single breasted, rounded fronts, three and four-button coats, worn buttoned. The three-button coat seems to have the call.

This coat is of the same dimensions as the four, except that the buttons are spaced wider. Vests are cut straighter across the bottom and the trousers are also cut straight, that is, the same size at both knee and bottom and worn with cuff.

The third style idea concerns that group known as "regular" young men's models. The coats are semi-fitted, with two and three buttons, both single and double-breasted. The rope shoulders will be a prominent feature of these clothes. The vest to these suits will also show a tendency to be cut a little lower at the opening and straighter at the bottom.

**Trousers Cut Straight**

Such suits will also display trousers cut straight. Some, however—

those from the best makers—are regular in shape, but there is an outlet on both inside and outside seams, permitting alteration, in the event the customer wants them wide from the knee down.

The short styles, which came in stronger than ever last year, promise to continue in favor with good dressers, particularly the four-piece suits. Such suits are adaptable for both business and sports wear. The business man may wear the suit with the long trousers in going to the office and can change to knickerbockers at the golf club, if he so desires.

**Belts and Hats Again**

Half and three-quarter belts are winning the greatest vote, while spring coats, like those worn in regular golf suits, are also favored by a certain clientele. There are many variations of the sport styles and all of them have a following.

In pattern, stripes have become almost as staple as the Chesterfield in the overcoat family. Stripes in shades of blue, oxford and gray will be more noticeable than ever. That fact that most of the fabrics in which stripes appear are light in weight makes clothes made of such fabrics wearable almost twelve months of the year, and hence there is an added reason for their success.

**Checks to Have Following**

Checks, which came into vogue several years ago with the Chesterfield, have a large following and many of these patterns will be found among the sport suits, as well as among the more conservative styles. Shepherd plaids, herringbones in blue, brown and gray stripes, Glen Urquhart, Tartan checks and overalls will command a large following.

Despite the fact that diamond weaves were shown more than ever last season, makers are coming forth with another selection of them this year, in the hope of forcing popularity. It is rather questionable whether men will see such patterns as the thing for spring.

**Palm Beach in Lead**

Trim Bevel promises to lead the procession in midsummer fabrics, as in other years. The closeness of such material, together with improved styles has helped put this fabric across with greater force than ever. For a time Palm Beach cloth was on the wane, but better makers secured this fabric, put their skilled journeymen to work and turned out unusually fine clothes.

The increasing vogue of discarding the heavier woolen suits for something light and airy has also helped other cool-weather fabrics. Among them are molaine, homespun, lightweight flannels, crapes, rich pon-

## Haberdashery on the Calendar for Spring

By OTTO ENGEL.

While there is a tendency to slight higher prices for men's haberdashery this spring, the advance is partially offset by better quality merchandise. Prices have reached the point of stabilization and the weird fluctuations of war days and post-war days are a thing of the past.

During the halcyon days the cost of men's accessories was just about twice that of today. The \$25 shirt, for example, may be purchased for \$12 to \$14. Neckwear marked at \$5 is now down to \$1.50 and the range of prices is correspondingly lowered throughout.

**White Silk Shirts Popular**

While the silk shirt has been making desperate efforts to regain its war-day popularity, the march of progress has been quite slow in the last two years. The white silk shirts will lead the field, of course, but there is a tendency for plain colored silks to come back in some of the more durable weaves. Among them are baby broadcloths and jerseys. Pleated effects also promise to have a large call.

Madras, oxford cloth and the better grades of cotton shirts, particularly the English broadcloths, will be worn extensively. While the prices are a shade higher than a year ago, the workmanship is so improved that it borders on the custom-tailored variety.

**Good Selection of Fiber Silks**

There always will be a demand for the better fiber silk shirts, largely due to the fact that they offer a selection that good dressers, like—at prices that do not tax one's income.

The collar-attached shirt which reached the height of popularity last year will go ahead with greater advantage than ever, if the prediction of makers is correct. In this special line there is a greater variety than ever, giving the customer a wider

selection, together with a long list of fabrics possessing specially coined names.

The topcoat for spring will show a leaning toward the box of full drapes, with set-in sleeves. Then, too, the topcoat with the raglan shoulders, forty-four inches long, with belt all around also will win great favor. The first coat mentioned will be shown in both button through and fly front. The third group consists of the always present Chesterfield.

In raincoats the popular zabardine leads the field, in plaid or belted models.

Scope of selection. And one of the pleasing features is the fact that the workmanship has improved wonderfully—truly making this a gentleman's shirt.

Then, too, there will be shown more shirts with two button cuff band, although the French cuff still leads the procession. Flannel shirts will have quite a following, especially among those dressers who prefer the sort of flannel coming from England and France.

**Gay Effects in Neckwear**

In neckwear the subdued color effects of sombre winter will give way to the vari-colored selection that usually blossoms forth in the spring. Silks from foreign fields—England, France, Switzerland and the far eastern countries—have flooded the market, but they are made up in the American styles and fashions. Among some of the shapes are the narrow cravats, adapted for the smaller collars which have become the popular vogue for warmer weather wear.

Because of their serviceability and durability, grenadines and knitted ties will be worn with greater frequency than ever. Many interesting and novel effects have been produced, giving the wearer a variety in selection that has never been offered before.

Matching some of the suit patterns will be twoed effects, which promise to "go across" with great demand. Foreign forlards also will come to the front stronger than ever.

**Free Changes in Hosiery**

Because of the limitations, hosiery will undergo few changes this year. Good silks, with clocks and other novel designs, particularly the full-fashioned selection, will be as popular as ever. For early spring cassimeres, camel's hair and imported worsteds will get the big play.

Naturally there will be a good selection of silk accordeons and embroidered effects, but the showing promises to be only normal. As for colors the shades and tones of each will be about the same as last season.

**Same Story for Gloves**

There have been very few changes made in glove styles and colors in the last few years and nothing novel is expected to be displayed this season. Cape, Arabian mocha, suede, buck and chamois in standard or off shades, will furnish the greatest selection. Sport or embroidered backs are about the only ornamentalations that will appear. The pearl button, however, is replacing the old-time

clasp.

The success of middy pajamas, otherwise known as the bachelor or buttonless pajamas, has been unusually tremendous. The ease with which men can slip into and out of such wearing apparel is one excellent reason. While colored effects and stripes had the call in past seasons, the tendency is toward plain colors or white. In silk pajamas the color scheme is prevalent, with frogs of contrasting tones.

Plain or pattern effects of madras, percales, crepes, chambrays, sateens and fiber silk will be among the fabrics in vogue.

**Soft Collar Is Favored**

The non-wrinklable collar, now made by a number of concerns, have won the popular fabric of many a good dresser and will blossom forth much greater than ever this spring. The two-ply hard collar, with a slight roll, will be the chief competitor for popularity.

In other men's accessories, such as underwear, belts, jewelry, handkerchiefs, walking sticks, etc., there have been no decided changes.

**IN COOKING MICE**

If you will grease the edge of the pot you cook your rice in the rice will not boll over.

## "YOUR SHOES, SIR, FOR SPRING"

By SAM ZAMEN

Simplification and standardization explain the situation in the shoe industry today, as far as men's footwear is concerned. The novelty and freak of other years are among the relics that one sees in the museum, and today few businessmen are as happy as the one in which the men's shoe merchant is the devotee.

In men's commodities the price of footwear was among the last to show a decrease. While materials entering in the making of shoes and oxfords took a tumble several years ago, the greatest item in the shoe—the leather—was the last to be decreased. Now that wages are lowered a bit—not a great deal at that—and styles have been simplified, prices of the finished product have decreased, too.

The idea of cutting down on the number of styles has reduced the task of both manufacturer and retailer. As a result both are in a happier frame of mind, as "leftovers" have been cut down to the minimum. The vari-colored tops and the two-toned effects of past seasons have been shelved for the time being with little promise of a return for a long long time to come.

Naturally, there will be a few freakish lasts to satisfy some extraordinary whim, but such footwear is far in the minority. Black lowers with tan or brown uppers have gone into the discard, while the single-toned shoe or oxford will lead the van.

Cordovan leather, which once was the vogue, also has taken a back seat, despite its wonderful quality of service and durability. The non-porous condition of this leather is said to have been the cause of much foot trouble. But the cordovan shades, however, will be retained, as they found popularity among the younger men.

Dark browns promise to get quite a play this spring and summer, but there, too, will be the lighter tan shades. Blacks, of course, will have quite a following, as will coco-brown, mahogany, russet and Havana brown. Gunmetal finishes will go strong as usual, with vic, kid and glossier finishes second in the race for popularity.

The narrow English custom toe last and the medium ball shapes will continue in favor among the younger fellows, while the wider and more comfortable lasts, with plenty of toe room, are for the older men, who prefer to sacrifice style to comfort.

Brogues will be worn extensively, but the winged tips and perforated toes will drop off a bit in general appeal.

Spats for the ultra dresser will continue in favor and the colors will be much like last year, when tan, grays, fawns, browns and buck sold in the majority.

When Old Sol beats his fiercest the canvas oxford will come forth strong. The Palm Beach shades will be worn more extensively than the white. White bucks will have the call for formal affairs.

**25-YEAR-OLD CAME ON TABLE BUT NOT TO EAT**

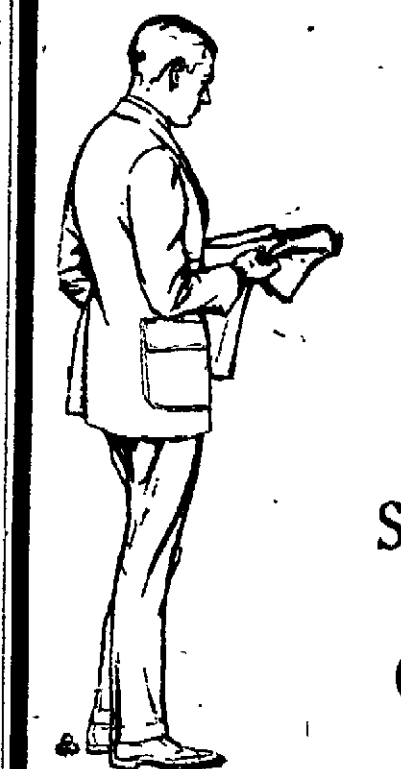
SCHOOLCRAFT, Mich., March 16.—A wedding cake baked twenty-five years ago was the feature of the silver wedding anniversary dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Virgo. The cake was the same as one exhibited at their wedding dinner in February, 1898. The cake, which was put away for the next anniversary dinner, is in a large rectangular fruit cake with three layers, white, blue and pink.

**SMITHVILLE, Tenn.**

The influenza epidemic has been many new cases daily. Fifty per cent of the population are affected, a number of the teachers in the schools are ill, but substances for their relief.

## Take a Leaf From Spring and Spruce Up for Easter

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## PEVETTES PENNY NOOD

Chimes Popular  
Old Fellow

A. M. Pevet, a well known resident of Port Arthur, and an employee of the Gulf company here for 11 years, died this morning at 12:15 of pneumonia. Mr. Pevet had been in the hospital for the past two weeks.

Mr. Pevet was survived by W. L. Pevet of Beaumont, James Pevet of Jackson, Miss. and J. M. Pevet of Jackson, Miss. Mr. Pevet was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge of Port Arthur, and of the W. O. W. at Brookhaven, Miss. He will be buried Monday afternoon at 3:30 by the Odd Fellows.

## HUNT THROUGH 6 STATES ENDS

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keeper, read of the case in the paper, but at first, he said, it didn't seem to him that the woman and child, apparently mother and son, who had taken a modest room with him Thursday night, had any connection with the case.

Today he went to the police. Police under Detective Sergeant Barton went on the run to the Slicker boarding house.

Protests Innocent.

They found the pseudo innocent, who gave the name of Mrs. Louise Devo. She was of sweetly countenanced, apparently an Italian. She also gave the name of Angelina Pivano.

At first the woman vigorously protested her innocence.

"What right have you to question me?" she screamed at the officers. Then she broke down.

"He's at a show, I sent him to be sure he wouldn't be seen," she sobbed.

Reaching the end of the trail the detectives divided forces. Two took the mysterious woman to the police station. The others hurried to the theater named.

In the gallery was little Leo, accompanied by a resident of the boarding house. This latter thought the nurse was the baby's mother; she was not detained.

Crushed by grief

When detectives took him to the police station where the nurse was held, Leo ran to her prattling joyfully of the good time he had had at the theater. The girl kidnaper did not smile in answer to his childish glee. In a minute or two she was led away by the jail matron. No charge was filed against her. She was detained for questioning and for the authorities at Albany.

In her sombre attire, a long simple black dress, she presented a mysterious figure. She answered questions in a lifeless monotone. She was like a woman crushed by some grief that was too poignant for tears.

She told of how she had taken little Leo from his parents' home and brought him to Newburgh last Thursday night.

"I was drugged, a man gave me a drug—I didn't know who he was doing," she repeated. "I was going to take Leo for a little vacation just for a few days."

## MINISTERS' SOCIETY TO HOLD SESSION MONDAY

The Port Arthur Ministerial association will meet Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the First Christian church. Dr. William Oeschger, president, announced yesterday.

Rev. R. C. Goss of the First M. E. church, South, will be the principal speaker for the morning, and will discuss "Our Young Peoples' Work in the Church." Dr. Oeschger has requested that all ministers in the city be present.

## 500 PEOPLE

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to King Tut's tomb through his walk. There before the searching trio was half shot on half pint, two score and four of them, which is 54. They worked around the hole in the wall and found another secret opening. Here were 30 empty half pints.

Then the officers marched Alix Joe down the stairs and with him they took his two companions and the evidence. On the sidewalk a mob of people had gathered.

The officers had been seen to enter the place in the 200 block in Procter and the crowd got an idea what it was all about. They moved the news and when Chief Word and Messrs. Cowen, Sinitiere and Alix Joe stepped upon the sidewalk they were immediately confronted with a traffic jam.

More than one estimated the crowd at 500 people. The patrol wagon was called and had a difficult time forcing a path through the spectators.

Alix Joe will be turned over to the county; his two companions were released.

## FREE BALL PARK

Ordinance Voices Offer of Athletic Association

The ordinance calling for a decision of the people on the proposal to lease for 10 years a baseball park on Lake Shore drive will be given its third reading Monday.

Under the provisions of the ordinance, the park will not cost the city a nickel. The committee even went so far as to offer to defray election expenses, when W. Y. Craig presented before the commission.

The proposition to be voted on March 25 is whether the city shall lease to the Port Arthur Athletic association for a period of 10 years the park, providing grandstands will be erected and other improvements to cost \$10,000 or more will be made.

## FIND SKELETONS IN A SANDPIT

Probe Checked When Bones Are Burned By Mistake

DALLAS, Texas, March 10.—Seven skeletons today in a sandpit near here are destined to form a mystery to be forever unsolved, authorities believed tonight after it had been discovered that the bones had been burned at the city dump.

The skeletons were placed in a box, carried to the sheriff's office, and left in the alley for future use in a proposed investigation. A trash collector, not noticing the box held human bones, carried it to the city dump, where it and its contents were burned.

The bones were found by workers on the sandpit, who immediately notified authorities. Sheriff Dan Harrison declared he believed they had been there at least half a century and probably longer.

Three of the skeletons lay with heads to the east and four with heads to the west, indicating they had been piled into one grave in that manner to make room for all the bodies. Apparently, each of them lay with face towards the earth, although Christian people always bury their dead with faces to the sky. This indicated they might be Indians who met their death before Christianity invaded Texas plains.

## ORANGE WELL IN

ORANGE, Tex., March 10.—The Amerasia Petroleum Corporation N. 2 A State came in, flowing by heads at the rate of about 200 barrels a day into the oil. This well was screened at a depth around 3,200 feet.

## BASTROP PROBE STARTS MONDAY

Residents Lose Interest in State's Accusations

BASTROP, La., March 10.—The grand jury probe of black hooded mob rule in Morehouse parish will be resumed here Monday after two days recess extends in behalf of the farmer, who devoted the weekend to his private work.

The grand jury is delving into the circumstances surrounding the deaths of Watt Daniel and Thomas Kitchens last August.

Parish residents seemed to have lost their interest in the proceedings, which are largely a repetition of the open hearing last month. Street gossip no longer centered on the startling accusations of state authorities that hooded men were responsible for a campaign of intimidation and death in the community.

## A WEEK IN TOWN, MAN IS TAKEN WITH QUART

"We found a quart of red-eye in the ice box and a man down and out in the kitchen," Lee Cowen, detective explained, following a second hooded raid in the 200 block in Austin avenue last night at 8:30 o'clock.

The victim, who will be given a hearing before United States Commissioner Morris Tuesday, had been in town but a week.

## 2 U.S. MARINES PLANE VICTIMS

Pilot and Passenger Victims of Haiti Flight

WASHINGTON, March 10.—Two American marines were killed in an airplane crash at Port Au Prince, Haiti, according to brief information received by naval communications tonight. The men are Sergeant Edward J. Lister, pilot and Sergeant Augustus John Christian, passenger.

No details of the accident were received though it was said the men were not killed outright but died in the naval hospital from injuries.

## INVITED POLICE TO POISON FEAST

Officer Testifies in 'Blue-beard' Case

CHICAGO, March 10.—Relatives, friends and even the police were included in the invitations to the alleged "poison parties" served by Mrs. Tillie Klimchuk, according to testimony presented today at her trial on charges of murdering her third husband, Frank Kuzepcz.

Mrs. Klimchuk, who the state charges poisoned nearly a score of persons, extended an invitation to the police while she was riding in the patrol wagon.

Lieutenant William Malone, detected from the witness stand that he received the bid for the party.

"We had just arrested Mrs. Klimchuk for serving poison to Joseph Klimchuk, her husband," Malone said. "She was in a terrible rage and blamed me for all her troubles."

"The next one I want to cook for is you," she said, as we were riding in the wagon to the police station."

Practically the entire court session today was taken up with testimony of Malone and the introduction of alleged confession of Klimchuk's in which she admitted putting a "white powder" in food served Klimchuk. The confession asserted Mrs. Klimchuk got the "white powder" from Anne Koulik who is held in jail pending the outcome of the Klimchuk trial.

The "white powder" was alleged by assistant state's Attorney Lyons to have been "rat poison."

Coroner's Chemist William D. McNally, testified that the organs of Kuzepcz, when examined revealed a "large quantity of arsenic." He also asserted that the stomach of Klimchuk contained similar poisoning.

## Nursery Board Makes List of Donors Public

The Day Nursery board met in regular session Friday morning at the Chamber of Commerce room and the list of donors for the past month were made public by the secretary. The nursery is in receipt of \$200, the amount of the appropriation from the city for this year. Fifty-one dollars were received from the Port Arthur Reading club, and other gifts were a box of rolls from the First M. E. Church; homemade cakes and apples from Mrs. Grace Tanner; twenty gloves of jelly from the Council of Jewish Women; and twelve loaves of bread from the Federal bakery.

The furnishings committee of the Day Nursery board reports that the nursery is badly in need of a chiffonier so that the nation may more efficiently take care of the children's clothing. If there is anyone who has a chiffonier to donate to the nursery, it will be gratefully received, the board announces.

## WATER RECEIPTS EXCEED \$10,000

Potet Makes Statement of Monthly Business

For the first time in the history of the city water receipts have topped the \$10,000 figure for a month's business.

This announcement was made today by Finance Commissioner A. A. Potet who Friday submitted to the commission a statement of the monthly business.

On the debit side are the following two items:

Accounts receivable, water \$5,101.32; sewer \$4,842.15 or \$10,003.47. On the credit side: Water service receipts \$4,298.57; sewer service receipts \$4,842.15; meter rent \$862.75 or \$10,003.47.

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## Library Recipient of Many Gift Volumes

Among the gifts received by Memorial Library since March 1, the following have been reported:

One volume of the Stars and Stripes, official newspaper of the A. E. F., from J. R. Hickey; 10 dollars with which to purchase children's books, and one copy of Frances H. Burnett's "Robin" by Mrs. Julius Deuter; magazines and twenty-one volumes of history, literature, and miscellaneous from Mrs. Emma Landers; one volume of fiction from Marie Spencer; and a condensed catalog of mechanical equipment from Victor Sherrill.

## McFadden Takes Reins As E.T.E.C. Chief Here

S. R. MacFadden, of Houston, now presides over the managerial desk of the Eastern Texas Electric company's Port Arthur office.

MacFadden succeeds Joe Bowes, who was promoted to general superintendent of the light and power department of both Beaumont and Port Arthur.

Mr. MacFadden says he's no stranger to this section, having been in the Beaumont office three years ago when he made frequent trips to Port Arthur.

He intends to bring his family here from Houston as soon as his home on Fifth street is completed.

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and attempted to persuade a negro tenant to interfere for him and allow him to surrender to authorities. Officers, learning of his proposed visit to the farm tonight, laid in waiting. As he approached the tenant's house to learn the result of his intervention he sighted the deputies and opened fire, reports received here stated.

The deputies returned the fire and riddled his body with bullets.

## RESIDENCE BURNS

LIVINGSTON, Tex., March 10.—Fire, supposed to have been caused by heater, destroyed the home of Harrison Davis here last night. The house was insured for a small sum, but the household effects, of which little was saved, were a total loss. The family was out of town at the time of the fire.

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# SYMPHONY CLUB EVENT MONDAY

Mrs. Theobald to Sponsor  
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The symphony club's American music program Monday afternoon at Calpepper's studio at the Congregational church will be sponsored by Mrs. M. E. Theobald.

The program will begin at 3 o'clock and the following numbers will be rendered:

1. Current events—Mrs. G. H. Theobald.
2. "Part Song: 'Top of the Morning'" (Mazurka)—Mrs. Gladys.
3. "On the Heights" and "Cloud Shadows" from "A Colorado Summer" (Gieritt Smith)—Mrs. Lois Boutwell Jaschke.
4. "The Day Is No More" (Harcum)—Miss Hortense Smith.
5. "Poems: 'Grazing'" (Charles-ton)—Mrs. H. T. McMillen.
6. "To A Butterfly" (Powell)—Mrs. Gladys Boutwell.
7. "Boat Song" (Larriett Dares)—Mrs. O. E. Able, Mrs. Howard Smith, and Miss Ethel King.
8. (a) "Serenade" (b) "Before the Day" (Nevin)—Mrs. M. J. Panton.
9. "Wedding March" (Cortez Rustique). (Strong)—Mrs. T. J. Troncy.
10. "Serenade" (Marro-Taronghi)—Mrs. J. A. Burdwell, Jr., of Yazoo City, Mississippi.
11. Part Song: "Hercules" (De Koven)—Mrs. J. E. Higgins, Mrs. E. H. McGuire and Mrs. O. E. Able.



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**"KINDRED OF THE DUST"**  
The course of true love never runs smooth, is an adage which is exemplified in "Kindred of the Dust," from the novel by Peter B. Kyne, and which is coming to the Peoples Theatre today for a 3-day engagement with Miriam Cooper in the leading feminine role.

## ASKS HUBBY, 14 TO PAY ALIMONY

He Balks at Loss of School to Support Wife

DETROIT, March 10. — Judge Henry M. Mandell ruled ethics as above the law when he heard the case of a girl who asked alimony from her 14-year-old husband.

James Albert Chadwick, the heartless defendant, argued through his attorney that according to the school law he must go to school until he is 16 years old, and that it was unjust to deprive him of an education because he had been inveigled into a marriage with a 14-year-old girl.

"There is a code of ethics that is even greater than the law," said the court, "and that is that people must learn to play the game. After all, the school of life apparently is what you need."

Mary Elizabeth Chadwick, the wife and coming mother, and James Albert were married in 1921 by the Rev. Joseph Vance. Later, when the real age of the husband was discovered, a second marriage was performed by a probate judge.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We take this means for thanking our many friends for their kindness and loving helpfulness shown us during the sudden illness and death of our dearly beloved son, husband and father, and for the beautiful floral offerings, especially do we wish to thank the Texas Company, and the Masonic order, which had charge of the burial.

MRS. E. R. BURRIS  
and children,  
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**GOTO-CHURCH SUNDAY**  
SOMERVILLE, Texas, March 10. — Sunday has been designated goto-church day in Somerville, and the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian Sunday schools and churches are making a united drive to get all Somerville to church and Sunday school.

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Ever since the success of Marshall Neilan's "Go and Get It," no motion picture has pleased the patrons of the Liberty Theatre as "The Flash," starring George Larkin, promises to do. It, too, is a thrilling story of a newspaper reporter who gets a tip to a great scandal and rescues the daughter of a chief of police. She is photographed in a scintillating way by crooks who are trying to supplant the chief from power. George Larkin will be remembered for his wonderful daredevil acting in "Saved By Radio."

**"TAILOR MADE MAN"**  
There is a real touch of life in one of the scenes in "A Tailor Made Man," a United Artists release coming Wednesday to the Peoples Theatre, a touch that illumines one of the saddest facts of our existence—the fact that only too often we are not loved or admired for ourselves, but for the fame or wealth we have acquired; not what one is, but what one has, seeming to determine the social status.

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# THEATRES

**SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS**  
PEOPLES  
Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday: Peter B. Kyne's most beautiful love story, "Kindred of the Dust" with Miriam Cooper and Ralph Graves.  
Wednesday to Saturday: Charles Ray latest success, "A Tailor Made Man." Also comedy attraction and News reel.

**STRAND**  
Sunday, Monday and Tuesday: "Drop It and Run"; feature picture, Leah Raped, Emory Johnston in "Don't Doubt Your Wife."  
Wednesday to Saturday: Musical comedy, "Kitty Told It." Feature picture, John Gilbert in "Honor First."

**PEARCE**  
Sunday: "June Madness" featuring Viola Dana and Bryant Washburn. Monday to Wednesday: "The Rosary" with Lewis Stone, Jane Novak, Mildred June and Robert Gordon.  
Thursday and Friday: Bessie Love and Gareth Hughes in "Forget Me Not."  
Saturday: Dustin Farnum in "Oath Bound," also two-reel comedy, "Brilliant Bullfighter."

**GREEN TREE**  
Sunday: Mae Murray's "Jazzmania." Monday: Jack Richardson in "The Desert Law," episode No. 13 of "Spec'd."  
Tuesday: John Gilbert in "Honor First."  
Wednesday: "Kindred of the Dust," also Christie comedy.  
Thursday: "The Rosary," and episode No. 9 of "Capt. Kidd."  
Friday: Pathe program: "Plunder" with Pearl White.  
Saturday: "Forget Me Not."

**LIBERTY**  
Sunday and Monday: George Larkin in "The Flash" and George M. Kell in "The Channel Riders."  
Tuesday and Wednesday: "Whispering Smith" featuring J. B. McQueen.  
Thursday and Friday: "Free Air" from Sinclair Lewis' novel in the Saturday Evening Post.  
Saturday: Frank Mayo in "The Altar."

**Class of 22 Novices Inducted in Maccabees**

With a degree team from Beaumont assisting the Port Arthur team, a class of 22 candidates were initiated into the Port Arthur Tent of the Maccabees Thursday night, Joe Rushing, R. K., reported today. Another initiation will be held by the Port Arthur organization on the night of March 22, he said.

After the degree work was completed, sandwiches and coffee were served those attending the initiation ceremonies. J. W. Baker and R. E. Walker, deputies in the Port Arthur Maccabees, were credited with the successful growth of the organization in this city, Mr. Rushing said.

Special invitation is extended to all Maccabees to attend the meeting here, Mr. Rushing said. The initiation of March 22 will be practically as large as that of last Thursday night, he stated.

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# P.A. LEGIONAIRES TO DINE TUESDAY

Put Reverse English On the King Tut Episode

Hungry, Buddy?  
Well here's your chance to get on a par with Ole King Tut.

The American Legion is giving a free dinner at the Newport cafe Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock; if you are or ever have been a member of the local Legion post, you will be cordially welcomed at the table; but you must notify Louis Dunn at the Port Arthur Finance company or Wright Chennault at Vanhan-Pace at once and make reservations if you intend being present.

Yep, This little dinner is all for you and me, Buddy. It came about this way: the directors of the local post met last Friday evening and got talking about how all of King Tut's friends placed a royal feast around his royal highness after he was dead and gone. So they decided to reverse the order of the olden days and give a royal reception at the Newport Tuesday evening to some of the living.

**PASTOR SCORES EAST RELIGION**

Oriental Cults Dangerous to Women, Says

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 10. — "That the American Eve is eating the apple once again is an assertion justified by the facts," declared the Rev. Harold Cooper, pastor of the Mayfield Congregational church here.

"Teachers of Oriental faiths, come over here and show women how to give devotion, time and wealth."

"While the philosophy of the Oriental cults may be good, the actual practice is sometimes horrible. American women must guard against the lure of Orientalism prevalent in this country."

"I have seen low carved on Hindu temples and shrines where fallen women are worshiped like gods. The statues of women in the Far East are the worst testimony of the faiths found there."

"Be assured of one thing—there is nothing good in these Oriental religions that cannot be found in your own faith. When you have found all they contain you can still find additional truth and comfort by devotion in Jesus Christ."

**DELAY CLARKE CASE**  
HOUSTON, Texas, March 10. — The case of E. V. Clarke, former acting imperial wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, charged with violation of the Mann act, which has been tentatively set for Monday in federal court here, may not be called until the following day, it was indicated tonight.

The greatest smoke nuisance on record thus far is a cheap cigar.

# Texas Gold Mine, Richest In World, Lost to Man

Finder of Early Days Said He Could Buy All of Texas as Backyard For His Children to Play in

After his father's death he tried to find the place again but was never able to do so.

Sublett's friend, Mike Wilson, however, is said to have later found the mine. He got a meek of gold and when he got back to town went on a big spree to celebrate his discovery. When his gold was gone he went out for more, but lost his bearings and was unable to relocate the mine. To his dying day Wilson made effort after effort to find the lost mine, but without success.

"There is a little ravine rich with gold," he would say. "All you have to do is to stoop down and pick up the nuggets, but the richest of the ore is in the cave in the heart of the mountain."

**Other Legends of Gold**  
Another legend is that related by John Kilgore, who said an old Mexican once told him he was captured by the Indians when he was about 14 years old. One day the Indian, who kept him in his wigwam in the Guadalupe, called him to his side, blindfolded him and led him into the fastness of the mountains, telling him to sit down on a rock and wait his return, which the boy did.

The Indian went away and in a short time returned with a buckskin filled with gold. This he handed to the Mexican boy, gave him a pony and told him to go back to his people. The Mexican said he afterward tried to locate the place, but could never do so.

Another Mexican who had been captured by the Mesquero Apaches when five years old related that his captors took him along on a hunting trip to the Guadalupe Mountains, and while there he saw them gather nuggets of gold in a gulch.

He, too, later tried to find the place, but became lost in the mountains, and after wandering around for several days, found his way back to the Indian camp, without, however, locating the hidden mine.

Several years ago Cicero Stewart, deputy heriff of Eddy county, New Mexico, and a cowboy known as Grizzly Bill, started to hunt for the mine. The cowboy located a gold deposit. Picking as much as he could carry in a sack, he abandoned his cattle and set out for Texas.

While celebrating his discovery he mounted a wild horse which threw him and broke his neck. Stewart was never able to find the place where the cowboy got his supply of gold.

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After remaining there a few days the men set out for the mountains, with Arthur on their trail. After an absence of a month and a half Arthur returned to Ysleta, saying that

But he would not take out more gold at a time than he could conveniently carry in his little wagon.

Although his friends, made every effort to induce him to reveal the location of the mine he was obstinate in his refusal to do so. He finally took his son, Ross Sublett, and a friend by the name of Mike Wilson, with him on one of his trips.

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# Willis Lane and Dever's Road Tourists Waterloo, Says Fire Chief LaRose

Fire Chief LaRose has told of that organization known as good roads advocates.

"Five hours and thirty-five minutes from the Rice lunch room, Houston, to Port Arthur," Chief LaRose said when he returned to Port Arthur last night. "That's absolutely the best I can do and you've got to run like the devil on the good roads to make it at this clip."

Willis Lane and Dever's road, known as the "worst piece of road in the world," checks speed of tourists between Houston and Beaumont. Chief LaRose said the new detour in the road to Houston out of Beaumont is on the left at the railroad crossing before the end of the pavement is reached. The road is closed where the paving ends, while a bridge is being put in.

LaRose made the trip in his Cadillac and says the bumps in Dever's is harder on a large car than it is on a smaller machine, forcing the driver to almost come to a stop to let the machine settle down after the jare and jolts.

Happiness isn't scarce. It just isn't being used much.

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**JESS BOUTON**  
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Feature Picture  
**LEAH BAIARD, EMORY JOHNSTON and EDWARD PEEL**  
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## Tom Sawyer Says

Voluntarily is supposed to get \$30.00 a week for dancing, which is enough to make anybody dance.

London cop is singing in grand opera. The British give their cops more authority than we give ours.

Almost successful Detroit husband-shooter says it seems like a dream, but we'll bet hubby thought it was a nightmare.

The report that Germany is tearing up dagblatts to get across for her money is not true.

Foreigner admits he paid \$1000 to get smuggled into America, and we may be got a good bargain.

A sign of spring in San Francisco was when a man had a sunstroke.

Chicago woman who lost her jewels in Los Angeles could have stayed at home and hid that happen.

Most of these Russian names sound like a couple of radio stations.

Coal commission has been given more funds and more power and now all it needs is some coal.

Recent discoveries indicate the Indians built up a great civilization before deciding it wasn't any use.

Honesty pays in the long run, while dishonesty usually pays in a run.

Be careful about what you want because you are liable to get it.

Any man can make a success if he has enough chances to practice on.

The natural income tax warning is, "Beware the Ides of March."

Most of the trouble is caused by trying to find trouble.

One sign of spring is motorists touring marble games.

Scientists digging up the past should let bygones be bygones.

You must meet your expenses if you expect to meet your friends.

There are about 110,000,000 people in this country who wish they were someone else.

One sign of spring is when young fellows get so mad at the general poverty of things they go and join the navy.

Chicago man claims he caught a Mexican lion with his hands. That stuff those Mexicans sell is awful.

Another couple that shouldn't be given a divorce is bacon and eggs.

Spring always visits a few times before coming to stay.



ALABAMA RAIN

MONTGOMERY, ALA. Don't drive through Alabama when it rains!

For the valleys, and the hillsides, and the plains. Are a mire of sticky clay. Where you'll stay and stay and stay.

Getting deeper every moment for your pains. Don't drive through Alabama in the rain!

Wait for rainy days, or travel on the train! Though I do not care to claim a friendly state, still Alabama has the sort of roads no verses can explain.

Don't drive through Alabama in the rain! For they tell me the asylum for insane has some people strolling through it.

Who imagined they could do it. But are now entirely batty in the brain. Don't drive through Alabama when it rains!

For the things they build for roads are only drains. And the surliest of flivvers. Want't made for swimming rivers. Or exploring wholly bottomless terrains.

Don't drive through Alabama when it rains! Though you put on double sets of heavy chains. Where you'll sink into a bog. When a fat bull-throated frog. Creaks funerally over your remains.

Wait until the downpour finishes and wanes. And the sky from further designs retreats. Otherwise you'll linger here. On the roof of your career. And drive through Alabama when it rains!

—BERTON BRALY.

Remember: At Montgomery (you know it "Polkville"), Ala.

## ARE YOU ALERT?

A magician would find it easier to fool Einstein than to deceive Einstein's eight-year-old son. So claims Arthur Buckley, official of the Society of American Magicians.

It's common knowledge in the show business, that a stage wizard is most nervous when doing tricks before an audience containing a great many children. The grown-ups are fooled easily. But chances are that the shrill voice of some youngster in the rear of the house will pipe out: "I seen how he done it."

Children are much more alert than their elders. One reason is because they find everything in life new and interesting and are constantly watching for another bit of knowledge. Interest keeps the brain geared up to a high, keen pitch.

As we get older, we observe that life is an endless repetition, the same old stuff over and over with only an occasional surprise. Naturally, we fall into the habit of not looking for something new. In turn, this gradually dulls our perceptions, slows down our ability to observe quickly. So the stage magician finds it easy to hoax us.

Magician Buckley, as quoted, conveys the idea that, the wiser a man is, the easier to fool him. For instance, a very simple trick will baffle a profound brain, while a man of only average intelligence is apt to "catch on."

The psychology of this is that one of the characteristics of deep thinking is a tendency to concentrate entirely on important subjects. Which explains why a person with a brilliant intellect often is unable to master card games, trivialities which the deep thinker subconsciously is averse to concentrating on.

The "heavy thinker," apparently interested in the state magician and trying to solve the trick, has about 95 per cent of his brain power far away, browsing unconsciously on important matters. The man of lesser intelligence is not in a semi-trance or hypnotic state of interest in important matters, so he is able to rally his concentration 100 per cent on the magician's tricks.

This delve into psychology raises the interesting suggestion that alertness is not necessarily a sign of brain power. On the other hand, it may indicate intelligence only average, or below.

The absent-minded professor is the subject of many jokes. He, deeply concentrated on things that really count, is far from alert. Often he has to have questions repeated two or three times before he "gets" them. But bring up one of the important subjects that really interest him, and you find him as alert as a hair-trigger.

It's a queer machine, that gray brain inside our skulls.

## HE'S MICHIGAN'S FAVORITE SON

Michigan democrats held their state convention the other day. Michigan democrats did not endorse the candidacy of Henry Ford for president in 1921. This is what they said:

"We recognize the tremendous influence of Henry Ford, a citizen of our state, for good upon the industrial, economic, and political affairs of the nation and all mankind. Our candidate for the senate in 1918, he became an important factor in giving Michigan and the nation not only one but two progressive United States senators, and in awakening the conscience of the American people to the menace to democracy of money controlled elections."

This is a splendid starter. It is not an endorsement, it does not place Henry Ford squarely in the race for a presidential nomination as the choice of Michigan democrats but it is an adroit reminder to the democrats of 47 other states that the Wizard of the West "awakened the conscience of the American people to the menace to democracy of money-controlled elections," and that an unsuccessful candidate for the senate in 1918 he paved the way for the reputation of Tureman H. Newberry and Charles E. Townsend, alleged stand-patters of a republicanism that is known as reactionism.

Why this silence on the part of Mr. Pipp, the well known author of Pipp's Pippings? Has he been gagged or has he been gouged?

Michigan democracy is behind Henry, the mystery man of American politics. He may not be responsible for its invisible presence, but this is the only interpretation of the resolution to be made by a patriot in the tree tops.

## PRICE AND HIS BILL

Twenty-four hours after sending the Satterwhite measure to the morgue, Representative L. E. Price of Daingerfield called up his bill whose passage he said, would make it impossible for holders of vendors lien notes to dodge the tax assessor and collector and escape taxation year in and year out on their "valuable possessions." Then the representatives who did not take kindly to the Price proposition belted it to death and it was put away after Representative Price had made one of the most eloquent speeches in its defense. The point was made by an opponent of the bill that the Satterwhite state board of equalization, had it been created, would have taken care of all the tax dodgers.

## BIG CROPS AND SMALL CROPS

Former Governor James E. Ferguson, on a memorable occasion, remarked: "The people have gone hog wild on education." Just as a warning to his fellow farmers, the Hon. George B. Terrell has sounded this one: "Don't go hog wild on cotton." Commissioner Terrell has been a farmer ever since he was old enough or big enough to swear at a mule and guide a plow. It is his fierce contention that agriculture must be placed upon an enduring foundation and made to pay or poverty and bankruptcy will follow.

He would stop erosion by washing of the soil by terracing, ditching, and proper plowing. He would make good crops by enriching the soil and by proper cultivation.

Texas is a billion dollar agricultural state. Texas produces more than one-ninth of the agricultural wealth of the nation. Away back in 1914 Texas produced 4,592,000 bales of cotton, and all that the farmers received for it was \$165,770,000.

In the year 1922, Texas produced 3,106,000 bales having a value of \$363,402,000. This was all new money. Only three per cent of the cotton crop of Texas is consumed by the mills of Texas.

## SAID ELEPHANT TO DONKEY

More worthwhile constructive legislation was enacted by the 67th congress than by any congress in peace times. This is the verdict of the republican national committee. This is also the conclusion of the same authority. "It enacted no class or sectional or destructive laws." Now the democratic national committee should grind its grist.

## IS HE A MUGWUMP?

Postmaster General Hubert Work has recommended to President Harding that selection of postmasters should no longer be considered a political prerequisite of senators and representatives but should be vested in the postoffice department alone. There are 14,000 presidential postmasters and 38,000 fourth-class postmasters. "What are we here for?"

Speeches in the lower house of the Texas legislature are limited to ten minutes each for the remaining days of the session. Why ten minutes? Lincoln delivered the immortal section of his Gettysburg speech in less time than that.

## Legislative Side Lights

BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD

News Staff Correspondent at The 38th Legislature

AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—Representative Wright Patman of Texas county has won a signal honor as a lawmaker. He framed and introduced into the Texas legislature what is known as the intangible tax bill. It provided for taxing intangible assets of packing houses, interurbans, pipelines, and other running or productive enterprises. This bill aroused the hostility of the farmers and the stock raisers, which would be caught in the Patman tax revenue dragnet.

His measure had a singular history before it was placed in the grave by the undertaker. The house passed it by a large majority, and then the senate killed it and, after killing it, recalled it from the house. Senator John Davis of Dallas and Senator John Stewart of Texas delivered funeral orations just before its second killing, and then officiated as pallbearers. Senator J. A. Turner and the East Texas contingent went loyal unto death. They defended and then voted for the resurrected bill.

Finally those who had recalled it and breathed into it the breath of life killed it for a second time by a motion to indefinitely postpone action. And then they made death certain by offering a motion to reconsider and another to table the motion to reconsider. This prevailed, and now all the lawmakers and all the captains of industry who are interested in the bill, know that it must be as dead as a door nail and that two executions by order of the senate.

Representative Wright Patman may be Senator Wright Patman when the roll of the 38th legislature is called. He drafts tax measures and the senate slays them. He may reverse the order of things should he become a full fledged senator.

A grotesque bill of Dallas county backed by his close friends among the lawmakers, introduced a bill requiring newspaper publishers to file surety bond with the clerk in the county of publication to satisfy judgments that may be recovered against the aforesaid publisher in successful prosecution of damage suits, for libel or defamation of character.

This measure was looked upon by its opponents as one of the most grotesque and ridiculous bills of the session. This did not prevent the house from giving it a big boost and sending it to the senate, where it was referred to the committee on civil jurisprudence, Senator John H. Bailey, chairman.

Former Representative Don H. Biggers of Fort Worth appeared before the committee. Biggers has a fog horn voice, a vocabulary that is astounding, and a command of language that is picturesque. He fired one volley at the Jacks bill, and what he said was a plenty.

Representative Jacks appeared before the committee and gave his reasons why it should be reported favorably and then passed by the senate. Thereafter, the committee by unanimous votes, made an unfavorable report and this is all that happened to the Jacks bill when Bailey and his fellow committeemen sat in judgment on its merits and its demerits.

It is dead, for the regular session at least, and Publisher Biggers who owns and edits an oil journal which is said to be terror to crooks who sell fake oil stocks, is satisfied in his own mind that the Jacks bill is dead for all time to come.

The bill was aimed or rather intended to apply to certain afternoon newspapers published in certain Texas cities which are said to be owned or operated by a foreign corporation. Publisher Biggers told the senate committee on civil jurisprudence that the libel laws and court decisions of Texas had practically gagged the clean newspapers of the state and that it could be nothing short of a mockery of justice to pile upon their publishers additional handicaps. This is one time that Publisher Biggers was glad that the Texas legislature was composed of two houses. He said if there had been no senate the Jacks bill would have become a law, unless the governor had exercised the veto power and let out its life blood.

A Revenue Raiser Representatives Henry Sackett and H. S. McNatt are the authors of the motor tax act which passed their name. This measure provides that for the use of the roads must shall pay for the privilege. This is a very important measure as well as a very heavy revenue raiser. Those who are in a position to know, predict that the governor will give his approval.

Senator Joseph Burket put his bill over in the house, and now Sackett and McNatt and Burket are given the flowers while they are alive. They did not do it all themselves. A large majority of the lawmakers of the 38th are in the legislature for the maintenance of the public roads, after they have been constructed. A majority of the legislators have voted for all important measures which affect highway construction and

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lawmakers that he would have vetoed if he had found a way without having to break his pledged word. This is how it happens that Dallas is to be given two additional judges, one permanent and the other to serve a year.

## LENTEN SERVICE

BRENNHAM, Texas, March 10.—Rev. Charles Clingman, pastor of Trinity church, Houston, preached at the special Lenten service at St. Peter's Episcopal church, of which Rev. Ira Day Lang is rector. Rev. Mr. Clingman also addressed the little folks at the children's service.

## AUTOMOBILE TURNS OVER

EL CAMPO, Texas, March 10.—Bob McDonald and Oliver Weaver of El Campo had a narrow escape from death when the automobile they were driving turned over several times. McDonald had his left arm broken and was severely bruised in a number of places, but Weaver escaped with only slight injuries.

## ALL COTTON IS SOLD

SOMERVILLE, Texas, March 10.—Thirty cents and better per pound for cotton has been paid here in the past few days and that price has about cleaned up what little the farmers hold. The acreage in this vicinity will be about the same as last year.

## CAPITOL JOKES

BY JOSEPH M. FREELINGHUYSEN

U. S. Ex-Senator From New Jersey I have used this story many times as an opening for my addresses when I have been preceded by one of these long-winded introductors.

A criminal was about to be hanged for murder.

During almost all of the day before and right up to the minute set

for the execution, a minister had been trying to get the man to repent. But he was a hard-boiled murderer and wouldn't do it. He even grew im-

patient. Just as the trap was about to be sprung, he turned to the sheriff and said: "Sheriff, I wanta thank you. You've been very square with me." And to the hangman he said: "I ain't holdin' no grudge against you, neither. You treated me fine and you gotta hang people to make a livin'."

"That as for you," and he turned to the minister, "I'll see you—later!"

Translator: Representative Henry Allen Cooper of Wisconsin.

NAVARRO BOND APPROVED AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—The attorney general today approved \$15,000 bonds for Navarro county levee improvement district number 3, serials, 6c.

## BE SURE TO HEAR

## Tom Sawyer's Novelty Orchestra at ZENO'S TONIGHT

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# 'Lost Road' a Scenic Vista Worth While But Seldom Visited by Port Arthur Motorists

## THE PATROL TOWARDS ROUTE

### 'What Every Prospect Fancies' Apt Description

It might be called the "lost road," off the "connecting link" that Port Arthur motorists have been searching for in their efforts to find a change of scenery without going all the way to the other side of Beaumont.

Stretching in Port Neches and running "straight" as the crow flies across the country to the asphalt highway between Port Arthur and Beaumont, the road, apparently unknown to "old timers" in this city, is lined with neat farm houses, thriving truck gardens, and most wonderful and useful of all things to behold in this country, trees!

**Thrilling Contemplation**  
Even in their winter nakedness, these trees along this two or three miles of apparently unknown road furnish a thrill. In all the bleak miles round about their ordered procession to the right and left of the motorist brings up sensations that he is suddenly out of the coastal plain country. Thrilling contemplation; but that is not all.

"The little gardens just beyond the fences are set out on hills. Because of the lay of the rest of the land, these little rises, said to be caused by gas pressure was down below the earth's surface, might even be called mountains. The farmers along this road smile and tell you they are mountains made out of mole hills. Every valley and every hill brings forth cabbages, turnips and onions in season, and that season, the farmers say, is all the year round.

With pride they point to the natural drainage afforded by these knolls, planted in truck products. And another novel feature of these farms is the metropolitan method of measuring the valuable "rolling" tracts in terms of lots and feet, rather than acreage, as is usually the case in rural districts.

**A Pastoral Vista**  
But all of the wealth and fortune of the "lost road" or "connecting link" neighborhood is not centered on these rare and valuable knolls. Dairy and beef cattle graze on the flat pastures beyond the barbed wire fences around the garden spots. Hay stacks and barns adjoin the farm houses. Then, too, a building boom is apparently on in the neighborhood. For across the road from one of the farm houses a partially completed double garage was observed, and down the road a short distance, a barn was being built.

**Cautious for Explorers**  
The road is not shelled, and in wet weather the joys of discovery would probably be lost in watching skids and bog holes. Now the road is in fine shape, not as smooth as a paved highway, of course, and grass is growing up in the center, between the tracks made by the few vehicles traveling the road, but it will furnish diversions in the scenery line for those weary of motoring out on the beaten trails.

**CUT GAS BILL BY 'KILLING' THE ENGINE**  
The gasoline bill can be reduced by never allowing the engine to run idle. A great deal more gasoline is used in this way than is suspected. Shut off the engine every time there is an occasion to stop the car for any length of time.

**INSPECT TAIL LIGHT**  
A motorist should inspect the tail light of his car frequently. This light marks the position of his car for the driver coming in the rear, who may be facing lights of an oncoming machine.

**STOPPING SQUEAKS**  
To prevent squeaks, the joints formed by the hood and the body cowl of the car should be lubricated from time to time with oil or grease.

## Headlight, Brake and Traffic Laws Should Be Standardized, Says

Standardization of laws governing headlights throughout the country is one of the chief aims of the Conference of Motor Vehicle Administrators, of which several states, including New York, already are members. It is believed that ultimately the various statutes regulating headlights, which conflict in many cases, will be welded into uniformity.

The states in the conference at present, which includes the New England states, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland, are seeking also to standardize brakes, traffic and traffic signals among the communities of its

## AUTO NEGLECT 'PAINS' PURSE

Hughes Provides Something New For Port Arthur

Something new for Port Arthur is provided by Bert Hughes of the Hughes Tire company, dealer in Norwalk tires, "full of service and mileage."

"Walk right under your car while it is on our grease tracks and look at the many places to be greased and oiled. You will be surprised," declares Hughes.

"The right kind of lubricant in the right place works wonders."

The man who neglects his car by failing to lubricate its working parts thoroughly is the same man who would be horrified if he saw some one beating up a horse because it failed to pull a heavy load.

"The principal is the same, except the horse experiences physical pain whereas the automobile, a masterpiece of the mechanics art if neglected, puts the pain in the pocketbook," says Hughes.

**RAIN WATER IS BEST FOR COOLING SYSTEM**  
Pure rain water is the best that can be used in the cooling system. This is because it is free from mineral substances, which are present in ordinary water and which are deposited on the metal walls of the radiator, piping, jackets, etc., to their detriment. Therefore, when rain water is available, always use it.

**THE TIRE'S UNDERSIDE: CLEAN IT OF ALL DIRT**  
The under side of the spare tire is one part of a car that is often overlooked, but should be attended to regularly. This part becomes coated with mud and road oil, or the spare stands in a pool of water. Unless it is cleaned off, permanent injury may be done to the tread and to the casing if there are any breaks in the tread.

**Avoid Gas Overflows**  
To prevent vapor of gasoline from spreading, care must be taken to avoid overflow. Any gasoline spilled over the tank or around the car forms a heavy vapor that may be ignited as soon as the engine is started.

**250 AUTO PARTS ARE STANDARDIZED**  
More than 250 various parts of automobiles, including such parts as ball bearings, carburetor flanges, bolts, nuts, tires, rims, etc., have been standardized by the Society of Automotive Engineers.

**WATCH THE FELT**  
Always keep the foot pedal and hand lever in proper position, so that the foot pedal will never go down far enough to strike the floor board, and so that the hand lever will never pull back and strike in its slot.

## WHY BUICK IS CALLED BUICK

### 20 Years Ago Dave Put in His First Motor

Twenty years ago, in 1903, David Buick placed the first motor in a Buick automobile. That is why Buick is called Buick. It was of the valve-in-head type and was developed from a marine motor of the same type which David Buick had been building prior to the advent of the automobile industry. Walter L. Marr, who was associated with David Buick when he placed the first valve-in-head motor in a Buick car, is still with the Buick factory, acting in the capacity of consulting engineer. E. A. DeWaters, who was also on the job when that first Buick motor went into a Buick car is also on the job today at Buickville.

"They call the place properly Flint, Mich., but they ought to change its name because it is the town that Buick built," says Marr May.

Buick engineers were convinced from the first that the valve-in-head motor was the most efficient type of motor produced and they had the courage of their convictions and stayed with it. They did not lally-gag around experimenting with various and sundry types. They built an automobile around their motor which they have devoted practically their entire mechanical life-time to perfecting.

Valve-in-head means that the valves are directly in the head or top of the engine directly over the piston. When the spark from the spark plug ignites the gas and expands it, the piston is forced down in the cylinder and revolves the crankshaft and transmits the power to the rear axle through the differential and transmission and revolves the rear wheels.

"That is the crack on top of the head which scores the 'knock-out' for Buick and which has made Buick the standard of automobile values for the past 20 years," May says.

## Convenience of All Car Controls An Item

No feature is more important than the convenience of those manual controls which the driver uses in the daily operation of the car. You should be able to sit comfortably in your normal driving position with your back against the cushion and reach the gear shift lever, the emergency brake, and all the throttle, carburetor levers and the ignition and lighting controls.

An emergency brake is so called because it may be needed in an emergency. It should be located where it is instantly accessible and convenient.

## CANADA IS FOURTH IN VOLUME OF EXPORTS

OTTAWA, Mar. 10.—The remarkable growth of Canada as an exporting country is graphically illustrated by a chart which has just been issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Before the war, Canada stood eighth in volume of exports; she is now fourth. Before the war she ranked eighth in exports per head. She is now a close second to Australia and for a considerable time during and after the war was first.

## Mind a Blank, Carried To Chair and Executed

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 10.—Ira Harrison, his mind a blank, was executed here. It was necessary to carry his body to the death chamber and strap it in the chair.

Harrison had been in a comatose condition for two months. Physicians declared he was shamming.

## WISE CRACKS

Never travel at a high rate of speed over a road which is unfamiliar.

A poor memory is costly when looking after the supplies and repairs of an automobile.

Rust is the greatest enemy of ball-bearings. See that all parts are well greased.

Do not at any time follow a car traveling at a high rate of speed at less distance than fifty yards.

When the motor fails to start, there are three systems to inspect, valve system, ignition system and carburetion system.

During the cold months it is wise to cover the left-hand side of the radiator. This will protect the carburetor and keep the engine warm.

To store gasoline, there is nothing equal to an underground tank. The gasoline is kept cool, and any vapor given off is carried to the roof of the building and is rendered harmless.

## 'Death Watch' Beetle Destroying London's Ancient Buildings

LONDON, March 10.—Professor LeRoy of the Imperial College of Science, South Kensington, broadcasting from Maroon House recently, took for his subject the "death watch" beetle, which is destroying so much of the timber in old London buildings.

He explained that it was popularly called the "death-watch" owing to its habit of tapping on the wood, which used to be regarded as a sign that some one in the house was going to die.

The taps had nothing to do with death, however, and were merely the insect's mode of telephoning in the dark to find if another beetle was anywhere near. One beetle could hear another forty or fifty feet away, and it was found that by imitating the sound beetles would answer.

This imitation has been used to find if beetles were in a roof. The damage done to timber was the work of a soft tiny grub, which tunneled into the timber. It had jaws like pliers, which nipped off pieces of wood, which it devoured as food.

The insect has been at work in nearly all the old buildings in England. The most important was Westminster Hall, where for centuries the grub had been eating the timbers of the roof. The work of repairing the hall has been going on since 1913.

It was originally made of Sussex oak, and similar oak has been used to replace the rotted beams.

It is believed there is not one live insect left in the roof, and there is reason to believe that for another five or ten centuries at least there will be no fear of further damage.

## WILLARD MAKES RADIO BATTERIES

### 'Box' Furnishes Ped For Air Messages

"Disappeared from" home late this afternoon: James Jackson, fourteen years old, light hair, blue eyes; scar on right cheek. Wore cap, sweater, brown suit. Please communicate with Mrs. William Jackson, 23 Chestnut Street, Pittsburgh."

Such messages as this are every day being sent out from the broadcasting stations of our larger cities to be caught by all the radio stations that are "listening in." And because of the spreading of information in this manner, thousands of people are informed of the missing person, and in a measure are enlisted in the search. The lost and found use of the radiophone is by no means limited to the tracing of lost persons. From several powerful broadcasting centers lists of stolen automobiles are radiated for hundreds of miles. It might be predicted, with at least a fair degree of fulfillment, that before long each automobile dealer, as well as each police headquarters, and each local automobile club will receive daily a complete list of stolen automobiles not only in his own city but in the surrounding territory within a radius of several hundred miles.

"The remarkable thing about it," says Gene Hagburn, who represents Willard batteries in Port Arthur, "is not that it transmits intelligence so rapidly, for news of this character is regularly sent just as quickly either by telephone or telegraph; but the notable feature of the radiophone is that it sends its message everywhere within the radius of the station, so that any one who installs the proper arrangement of coils, batteries, and so on, can receive all the information sent out."

## PERISCOPES ARE USED ON BUSES IN LONDON

LONDON, March 10.—Among the latest invention for the comfort of public servants is a "periscope" for double-decked tram cars which allows the conductor to have a full view of the top deck without the necessity of climbing the stairs.

The new convenience also will be of use to passengers by enabling them to see, from below, if there are any vacant seats on the upper deck.

## MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

LOCKHART, Texas, March 10.—The annual meeting of the Scottish Rite Masons' Club of Caldwell county resulted in the selection of Walter M. Ellison as president, W. T. Nichol as vice president and Carlos Mohle secretary-treasurer.

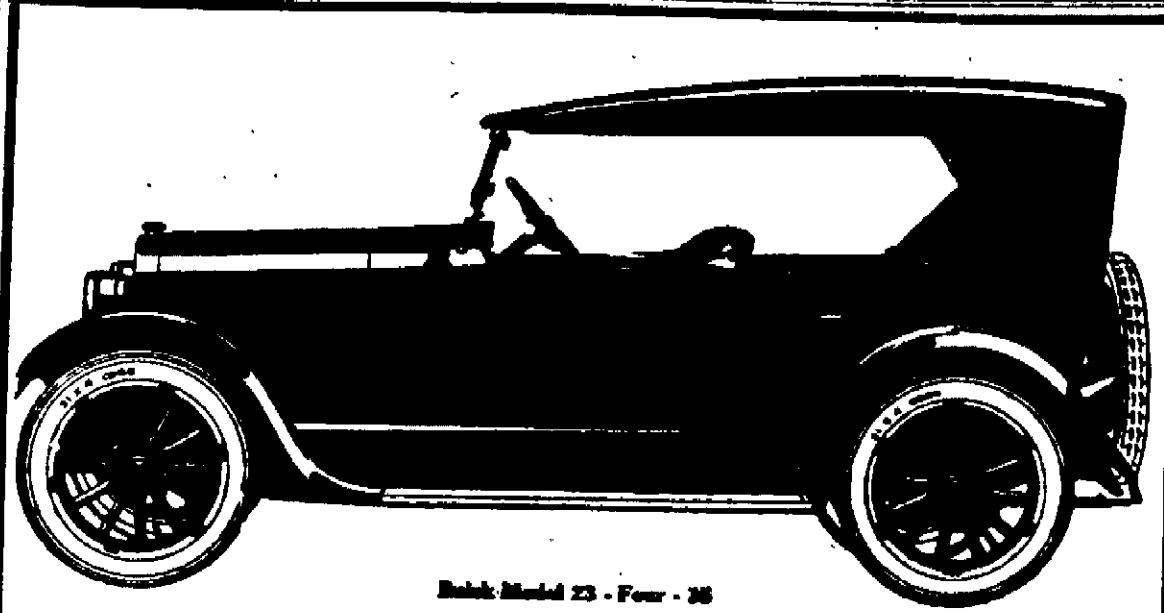
## Newspaper Aids in Locating Oil Leaks

To tell whether the engine is leaking gas, oil or water it is a good plan to spread a newspaper under the front of the machine when leaving it over night in the garage. Water and gasoline will soak through the paper, while oil will tend to remain on top. The odor of the saturated piece of paper will enable the driver to distinguish between water and gasoline. A certain amount of kerosene, however, will be found on the paper. This is due to condensation of the kerosene in the modern gas we buy. This collects in the intake manifold when the engine cools and runs back into the carburetor, from where it overflows to the floor.

When selecting a place to park a car keep it away from rubbish piles, ashcans, fireplugs and street corners.

## TO STRAIGHTEN OUT BENT FRONT AXLE

An emergency method of restoring a front axle which has been bent is to take two lengths of 4x4-inch joist just long enough to reach from the upper side of the axle outside each spring plate to a cross timber of the ceiling or roof of the garage. Then if a jack is placed beneath the axle at the bend enough pressure may be applied by means of it to force the axle back into shape.



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## Todda' Forbes' Quintet Ousted in Semi-Final By Faster Dallas Team

Port Arthurians' Third Game Of Meet Goes to Stickle Lumber Company, 40 to 30; Latter Takes Title in Final Round.

DALLAS, Texas, March 10.—Port Arthur's hopes and the chances of the Good Gulf quintet were booted to the skies here this afternoon when Stickle's Lumber Company five ousted "Todda' Forbes' proteges from the running, and vanquished their chances for titular honors in the Southern Amateur Athletic tourney. The score was 40 to 30.

It was the fastest and hardest-fought game of the season on a local court. There was scrap in every minute of play. The score was a veritable vacillating trick that shot back and forth, first for the Gulfers, then for Stickle's quintet. And the latter won only when the final whistle sounded "game over."

The Good Gulf boys, recognized here as the fastest independent basketball organization in South Texas, went down in defeat fighting harder than at any time during their 1923 season.

Superior teamwork on the part of the Dallas five proved too much for the Gulfers in the last few minutes of play.

With a slight lead in the last part of the second half, Port Arthur's boys seemed headed for victory, but they were smothered by some of the cleverest displays of passing, dribbling and teamwork that has been witnessed on local courts.

Merrill, "tiny" forward of the Good Gulf team, easily starred for the visitors here by his accurate aim in shooting baskets, while Perretta, guard on the Stickle's Lumber five, seemed to have the edge on his teammates.

The Stickle team defeated the Blue-Purple quintet in the finals of the tourney, 42 to 22, for the title. The affair was a walk away for the number outfit.

## Meet in Mt. Pleasant Today to Plan League

MT. PLEASANT, Texas, March 10.—A meeting is to be held tomorrow in Mount Pleasant to perfect the organization of a six club league to be known as the East Texas Baseball League. The league will be a compact circuit having a class B rating and a player limit of thirteen men. Paris, Longview, Marshall and Mount Pleasant have agreed to enter the league and the two necessary clubs to complete the circuit are to be chosen from Texarkana, Jacksonville, Sulphur Springs, Taylor, McKinney and possibly Greenville.

FANS AWAKEN  
DALLAS, Texas, March 10.—Baseball, the harbinger of spring, has started here. With eighteen members of the Dallas club of the Texas League working out daily, and with the determination solemnly made by the club to win the pennant, local fans are awakening from their winter hibernation.

The training so far has been mostly devoted to the removal of kinks from the arms of the pitching staff, composed of seven veterans from last year's team and five new comers.

BEARS VS. GIANTS  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 10.—The first exhibition game of the spring training season here will give the fans a look at the New York Giants and what San Antonio Bears there are in camp Sunday afternoon.

The Giants, after losing a few rookies to the local club, will meet San Antonio at League Park Sunday afternoon.

Rain Stops Play  
MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 10.—Rain caused a postponement today of the final round of the tournament here between Milt. Suzanne Longley, world champion tennis player, and Miss Kathleen McKane, the British star. The courts were also wet for the other matches in the men's and women's doubles and in the mixed doubles.

DAVE SIGNS PACT  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 10.—Dave Bancroft, who has been on his way to the Giants, today told by delivering his signed contract to the secretary of the club, James T. McInerney.

CORNELL WINS MEET  
ITHACA, N. Y., March 10.—Cornell took the honors from Pennsylvania state wrestlers in a close dual meet here today, 12 to 6.

Not For Sale  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Denial that the Brooklyn Baseball club is for sale, was made today in a statement by S. W. McKeever, treasurer of the club.

BEAUMONT LOSES  
HOUSTON, Texas, March 10.—In one of the hardest fought high school games ever witnessed on the Y. M. C. A. court here, the Heights high school of Houston defeated the Beaumont high 25 to 15 this afternoon. Both teams played a good brand of basketball from the start.

At the end of the first half, Beaumont had the local edge 9 to 2. The Central side came from behind in the last half however, and finished in the lead.

Another sure sign of spring is when you wonder if you hear a new will or a marriage.

## RING VETERAN OF MANY BOUTS TO COME BACK

Former Welter Champ Has Not Had Enough

BY HENRY L. PARRELL  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Old Man Britton, the former welterweight champion, hasn't had "enough" in 25 years and he is planning to come back.

Britton has been Mr. William J. Heald, prominent business man of Tonawanda, ever since November 1, last year, when young Mickey Walker of Jersey made him think he was through.

The former champion didn't have a glove on until a few days ago when he was kidded into a little exhibition in one of the big New York gymnasiums.

Jim Montgomery, who used to be one of Britton's favorite victims in the old days, was working out and he spotted the fastidious Britton in the attire of a clothing store.

"You're back to the clothes for good, ain't you? Well, I'm still in the old togs. It gives me grief that you quit because I was writing in line to tap you on the chin," he handed the ex-champion.

Britton put on the gloves for a little sport and he stopped Montgomery in the fourth round. After several more good workouts he asked Dan Moore, his manager, to get him some business.

Britton and Ted Lewis were to have fought in London this summer, but both the old rivals cracked at about the same time and prospects for the bout look slim now.

Britton still thinks that if he can get back in good condition that he might go over after Ted.

"I'd like to have gotten him before his own white shirt came when he had those three titles. I'd like to have been middleweight and light heavyweight champion of England just for the fun of it. Lewis made the crack that if he got me over there away from my own referee that I would knock me out and I was willing to give him the chance," he said.

Britton is one of the few prominent boxers who will concede that Luis Firpo, the South American heavyweight, has any class.

"He looks good to me," Britton said. "He acts just like Jeffries used to and what impresses me most about him is that he is not too anxious in his work. He starts out a whole lot like Dempsey and as soon as he sharpens his punches I believe he will be a good fighter."

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 10.—Fourteen players have reported to Exporter Jack this far for training and according to Bob Tarleton, business manager, the rest of the gang will arrive Sunday or Monday.

The latest signers with the club are Harry Strupp, who comes from the Toronto Club, and "Chink" Watts, a local boy who has played in semi-pro ball for the past few years with the Louisiana state league.

Studling, Dock Roberts, president of the Texas League was in town today and gave the boys the once over.

GULF GIRLS WORKING FOR HOUSTON CLASHES  
The Good Gulf Girls sextette is in the midst of training for their invasion of the Houston court next weekend. This is the information coming from Captain Holtzcliff, who asserts that by the time the players push out next Saturday for a couple of clashes over there, that the girls will be much stronger than when they last appeared in Port Arthur.

The team is matched against the Central H. girls of Houston for a Saturday evening number, and Saturday afternoon they tie up with the Houston all company's sextette.

Automobiles decorated with the colors of the Gulf Girls team will probably convey the squad to Houston from here.

SPUDS LINE UP  
WICHITA FALLS, Texas, March 10.—Spring training for the Spudgers begins in earnest Monday, according to Skipper Walter Salm, who announced tonight that there were no holdouts. All the contracts sent out have been signed and returned. In addition to the regular men fully fifteen recruits from the sand lots have arrived to show their wares.

BIG BATTLE MONDAY  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Another one of these age and experience against youth and ambition (things) is to be staged Monday night in Madison Square Garden. Bill Brennan, the latest trier horse, yesterday will be sent into the ring to see what Luis Angel Firpo, the latest sensation from South America can do.

Firpo ought to win, not because age eventually falls for youth but for a flock of reasons.

BOY SCOUT TOURNEY OPEN TO THE PUBLIC  
Another game in the Boy Scouts tournament for Scout basketball here will be played Wednesday evening in Franklin gymnasium, when the contestants among the local troops gather on the floor to do battle. Much interest is being displayed in the local games, and a large attendance of parents were in evidence at the last Wednesday evening encounter. Executive Eddy says they are cordially invited to come again Wednesday night.

15 After Cup  
NEW YORK, March 10.—Records for Davis cup competition were broken here today when the list of challengers for the trophy now held by the United States reached the total of fifteen with the receipt of a cable from the Belgian lawn tennis federation. Several more nations are expected to file challenges before the time limit expires on March 15.

## Texas Schedule Has Three Dates Unfilled

AUSTIN, March 10.—Only three open dates are left on the University of Texas football schedule for 1934. These are September 27, October 11, and October 18. The remainder of the schedule is as follows: October 4, Howard Payne at Austin; October 23, Florida University at Austin; November 1, Rice Institute at Houston; November 8, Baylor University at Austin; November 15, T. C. U. at Fort Worth; November 27, Texas A and M at Austin.

## RADIO FANS TO BE TREATED BY GIANTS TONIGHT

Baseball Players Broadcast From 'WOAI'

"EE-AYH"  
Thousands of baseball fans have heard this famous battery of Hugh Jennings, assistant manager of the New York Giants, world's champions for two consecutive seasons; but they have paid to hear it. On the night of March 11, Sunday, they will have the opportunity to hear it, right in their own homes, free of charge, with just as much vim and vigor as Huggs displays on the diamond, when the Giants present a program at WOAI, the giant radio station at the Southern Exposition, at San Antonio, Texas.

The regular announcer at WOAI will make the opening announcement and then turn the station to "Cozy" Dolan, head coach, Dolan and Jennings will be in charge of the program and will put the players through their paces before the microphone.

Art Nelf, premier slabbman, will take an extra hitch in his belt, spit on his hands, (the umpire won't be present), and then prepare to leave over a couple of piano solos.

Art handles the ivoories as well as he does the horseshoe, so you now know how good he is at the piano.

The World's Champion Warblers will let forth a few skill and otherwise melodious notes in the form of song. The Warblers will be Virgil Barnes, Jeff Barnes, Hugh McGuinn and Joe Casey. "Bugs" Barr, clever sport writer of the New York American, will tell you about the hardships of the training camp.

Frank Frisch, the "Fordham Flash," will sing. He can do it, fellows, really he can. Other members of the team, as the announcer says, too numerous to mention, will contribute some form of entertainment during the evening.

Between "innings" music will be furnished by the WOAI Trio under the direction of Eddie Warlock. Members of the Trio are: Eddie Warlock, violinist and director; Paul Mohrman, pianist; and Ed Martinez, cellist.

The program will start at 9:30 p. m. central standard time, and the date is tonight.

Roy Huston Drives in Auto Race Today  
Roy Huston, accompanied by several of his admirers, left here last night for Houston, Texas, where he will drive a Ford-Ford this afternoon on the Houston speedway.

Huston, a well-known local man, is also a popular race car driver on the Houston speedway, where he has captured several prizes for his prowess with a "speed boat."

The Houston promoters have been attempting to sign Huston for several weeks past, but on each occasion, for some unannounced reason, the races were postponed, and the local speed demon did not appear on the track.

This afternoon from thirteen to sixteen fast cars will enter the field and race for a purse varying from \$700 to \$800, and Huston will be in the race "to at least take some of the money," he said last night before his departure.

BEATS NORTHWESTERN  
CHICAGO, March 10.—Purdue basketball team from Northwestern tonight, 24 to 22.

## GULF TEAM TO START WORKING FIRST OF WEEK

'Rusty' Davis Heads 1923 Ball Squad

The Good Gulf baseball club of the City League will begin practice tomorrow afternoon.

This is the announcement emanating from the Gulf camp last night, and at the same time the personnel of the team which will represent the Gulf in the league and in the realm of semi-pro ball as well as announced by President Hicks of the team.

Some of the snappiest players in the city, many of whom played on the championship Gulf club of the last season, are to be found on the lineup.

The pitching staff is composed of five hurlers, two of whom are known to local fandom, while three are recent acquisitions of the organization.

In "Big Boy" Kuykendall, sensational basketball player of the Good Gulf, E. E. Ford and Paul H. Hitt, the Gulf ball nine will place its faith this season in City League and semi-pro circles. The "Big Boy" has hurled the spindler here before, and is well known to local fandom for his athletic achievements; he once played with the Three 1 League and was not so long ago a recruit with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Culver was on the pitching staff of the Gulfers during the past season, while Sid Schildow, Ford and Hitt are all newcomers to the organization, and will probably get their chance to display their wares in the games here at an early time.

The catching staff this season will be composed of J. W. Vadenhead and J. C. Matthews, while there is a possibility that one other addition will be made to the list.

"Rusty" Davis, the well-known number and mascot of the Gulfers will be in active charge of the team. "Rusty" will hold down his usual post at the initial cast.

"Country" Kelly, a clatter of fame and a Baylor product, will be on the line, as will Curt Smith, a T. C. U. player. From all indications, according to Manager Davis, Curt will be worked in the infield.

J. K. Darden and J. V. Guerson will likewise hold down infield posts. Darden backs from the 1922 team of the Good Gulf, while Guerson claims a start at baseball in the Pacific Coast league.

T. W. Ford, another infielder, was with the Great Southern Lumber Company club at Bogalusa, La., and has played both high school and college ball. Ford, together with Donald Dunlavy, a last year's product of the Gulf nine, T. J. Williams, King, Lewis and Gillette will be among the squad.

C. O. Phillips, another outfielder, signed up with the squad last night, and will probably be out Monday afternoon.

All of these players have had a big bit of experience on the diamond and around them Boss Davis hopes to erect a monumental machine to baseball that the Gulf will be proud to own.

The team has already signed up an initial class of the season with the Orange Independents, for April 1, while two games have been signed up with the Exporters of Beaumont, one to be played April 11, and one to be played April 15. The first of these latter two will be played in Port Arthur.

Port Arthur Speedway Pushed to Completion  
Possibility by the middle of April local sports followers will have an opportunity of witnessing some automobile dirt track racing that will bring their blood bubbling to the surface.

This is the very latest on the situation concerning the Port Arthur Speedway, now rapidly under construction, and which is getting in better shape almost every day.

The Speedway is being rolled at the present time; you may be able to see workmen going over the 9-foot embankment if you look closely as you travel out toward Beaumont. It is reported here that several local drivers, including Roy Huston, will be seen in action on the course when it is completed.

## While Ball Bugs Buzz and Fans Gossip, Local Clubs Pick Material For Nines

Elks, Gulfers and City League Teams Arrange Schedule and Hurry Men on Field as Season Stars Off With a Bang.

By BILL ARONER  
With prospects of the old sand lot on Lake Shore drive being turned into a better park and the continued announcement of ball teams pouring into the gossip of the streets, the outlook for city baseball this season has grown by leaps and bounds during the past two days.

A stranger would think we'd been playing ball here right along since last season without a lapse.

On the street corners, in the cafes, in barber shops, mercantile houses and even in the shoe shops they're talking ball in Port Arthur.

Teams in the City League formed last Wednesday evening have already begun organizing. And on the side, independent ball clubs with players that bid fair to shatter the records of the Hambino and other famous diamond exponents hung up last year in the Big Show are calling out their men to get in shape for another glorious race on the Port Arthur field.

First among the independent teams of the city to organize came the Elks nine; rated by many as the fastest in this section, and challenged by a few for that honor, the Elks have already begun training.

Yesterday they gathered out on the Lake Shore diamond at 4 o'clock and grabbed off their initial practice. This afternoon, while other teams are forming, they will receive their second workout. They are limbering up for a big time this year, and Manager Gunn has chosen some crack players to represent Elksdom on the diamond.

In Fuller, Wilson, Howaker, Morgan, Burch, Romero, Cook, Jague and others whose number is almost legion, Manager Gunn is building a baseball squad that will bring considerable excitement and many fans to the sidelines this year in semi-pro circles.

And the Elks have already nipped off a start on the schedule bugs, too, by grabbing a game with the Orange Independents for March 25. That will probably be the first game a Port Arthur organization will play this year.

Close behind the Elks came the formation of a City League, with its election of officers, its appointment of committees, and its four teams composed of the Texas Islanders, Texas Refiners, Gulfers, and the City nine.

While the boys at the Texas Company haven't put out much doing concerning their activity, or just who will be among their rank and file, and while the Islanders, too, are remaining on the "Q.T." list, the old leather spheroid is twirling around about their respective camps just the same, and the ball bug has stung them hard.

They are at work; working out a nine, and picking the pick of their men, and it won't be long till they come out with their announcement of a team to participate in the City League activities.

Two expert trapshooters representing the Peters Cartridge Company will be on the field during the afternoon, and will display their wares, while it is understood that several matches will probably be played during the meet.

The shoot is open to the entire public of Port Arthur, and is being accepted by local nimbros as an opportunity to organize a Trapshoot Association here.

Local Nimrods Gather Today For Big Shoot  
This afternoon at the Country Club, nimrods from all over Port Arthur will gather at the traps to witness the marksmanship of each other, and to participate in a "free-for-all" event which will be conducted there at 1 o'clock.

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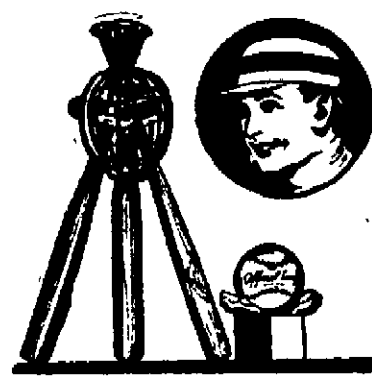
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PITTSBURGH BEATS DULUTH  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 10.—Pittsburgh hockey team tonight defeated Duluth 6 to 1.

WISCONSIN WINS  
CHICAGO, March 10.—Wisconsin defeated Chicago here tonight in basketball 33 to 12.

## EVERYTHING IN SPORTING GOODS

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## SPORTSMEN ATTENTION

The Port Arthur Gun Club will hold its first shoot at the Port Arthur Country Club Sunday. Shoot begins at 1 p. m. All Sportsmen especially invited.

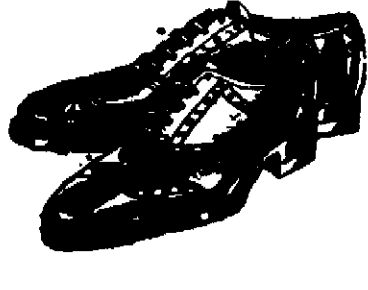
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## HOW MELBOMERE LIVES IN DEATH CHAMBER



A VIEW UNDER THE HUDSON, SHOWING THE SHIELD DRIVING A TUNNEL BENEATH THE RIVER BED; SAND HOES DIGGING IN THE FACT OF THE SHIELD, AND THE SUPPORTING STEEL RINGS BUILT BEHIND. ABOVE IS A DIAGRAM OF THE TUNNEL AND THE AIR PUMPS THAT WILL VENTILATE IT.

## HOUSE PASSES 'THIRD UP' BILLS

Both Branches in Session On Saturday Night

AUSTIN, Texas, March 10.—Both houses of the legislature were in session tonight.

The house passed finally every bill that had reached a third reading and in addition many other bills that were taken up on the suspension calendar.

Measures finally passed were:

By Abney, permitting judicial appointment to hold for each other.

By Thrasher, appointing Mrs. M. T. Wheeler as assistant judge at the capital.

By Kumble, permitting counties and towns to issue refunding bonds to care for emergency flood warrants.

By Smith, amending the inheritance tax law.

By Wells, authorizing a city poll tax of \$1 for both men and women.

By Cable, specifying the manner of rendition of funds by county tax collectors in order to prevent losses or charges for exchange.

By Lottan, permitting sale of land held by the state under a foreclosure title the act applying to only one tract of land.

By Smith, providing that county election certificates shall not be required except in cities over 5,000 for those coming of age between January 1 and the time of an election in the same year.

By Dinkle, appropriating \$25,000 to pay for the electric voting machine used in the house.

By Part, requiring twenty minutes a day teaching of the constitution of Texas and of the United States in the schools.

By Latta, appropriating \$17,500 for mosquito control work by the department of health.

By Rogers, authorizing county commissioners' court to employ one or more public nurses.

By Durham, providing for filing vacancies in the office of county superintendent by the county commissioners' court.

By Stuart of Reeves, authorizing allotment of highway funds to counties on highways which received federal aid for their maintenance until the new highway funds become available.

By Gipson, regulating the fees paid to the state board of water engineers.

By Duff, providing for the election of county weighers in counties of less than 25,000 population.

By Porman, making appointments of notaries public effective without delay.

By Irwin, providing streets company bonds in the office of the state treasurer.

By Morgan of Lantry, giving right of eminent domain for rights of way.

chance even though the pay may exceed \$10 a day.

When the tunnel is finished, millions will use it. But how many will ever give a thought to the unsung heroes—the sand hogs who day by day doggedly bucked nature and finally conquered it?

When finally they see light through the two-mile wall before them, they will have linked New York and New Jersey with a \$30,000,000 tube through which more than 15,000,000 vehicles will pass annually. It won't be ready for three years—a short time for so gigantic an engineering enterprise, but a long time for these sand hogs.

For it's unhealthy working under compressed air. State laws limit the breathing day to two hours under certain pressures. And then only after a long rest.

Little wonder that they become almost as they go into the lock leaving sunlight behind—perhaps forever. It's like the mouth of a hell, this long, noisy, foggy, steaming, boiler-like lock. A thick haze mounts as its small, heavy iron door swings in.

The air grows tight. Its has become a thunderous roar.

Louder, louder, tighter, tighter. Ear drums feel like bursting. I can scarcely breathe. But I have been told what to do.

I hold my nose and swallow hard. This raises the pressure in the Eustachian tube leading to the middle ear and equalizes the mounting air in the lock. It's man own compressed air device.

It's a great relief. But the pressure keeps on mounting. The third, third, third grows louder. That the pain in my head is gone. I'm getting used to it.

The vapor is disappearing. The air becomes warm.

Gradually the hiss, hiss, sizzles out. The air in the lock has been raised to the pressure of that in the tunnel. The end door swings open. We file through silently.

No need of holding the nose now. But the ringing in the head goes on. Down a thin, long ladder we climb through an opening like a small sewer hole. Down, down, down.

Everything is shuddering—men, machines, and the air.

Yet it is all so deadly silent.

King after king of the tunnel's great lining has already been laid. Down to the bottom end go the sand hogs. They pass the other shift going by. A nod, a passing glance and that's all.

Each crawls to his place out beyond the boring-steel shield.

The job is to clear the way so that this massive machine, operated under tremendous hydraulic pressure, can cut ahead. But the human sand hog must dig to clear the way.

Through mud, sand, silt he burrows. Compressed air keeps most of the water out. But the men at the bottom of the tube are wallowing in seepage. They don't seem to mind.

It's all part of their getting ahead. Sifting sands, slipping boulders, or heavy blasts don't worry them. But coming out of the compressed air does.

For too hasty a decompression gives the "bends," a terrible disease resulting from too much nitrogen in the blood which bubbles, bubbles, until something bursts.

Hours after work, they may fall, feeling like drunken men. A little dink on the coat hound tells the story. "Compressed air emphysema. If I rush to hospital lock." By order of the Ambulance Board.

Up the long black ladder they climb when their shift is done. Back into the air lock. The iron door swings shut. The third day out. The pressure is lower.

The outside door opens. I plunge through the mist. I'm in the open again. My head feels light. I feel a bit and my legs wobble as I go on.

With me go the regulars, stumbling on from darkness below to the darkness above—silent, almost suffocant. They don't know yet when the "bends" may get them.

But it's all in their game. And the sand hogs are willing to take the

## KILLS HERSELF BY ACCIDENT

Woman Fumbles Weapon at Target Practice

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 10.—Mrs. Helen Clark, 42, of San Antonio, was accidentally killed when a .45 revolver in her own hands near Del Rio, Mrs. Clark, in company with several persons from San Antonio, was traveling overland to Del Rio.

According to the story told deputy sheriffs at Del Rio by other members of the party, they were traveling along, talking about stopping and taking target practice with the gun Mrs. Clark had in her possession. The car was stopped and Mrs. Clark took the gun out of the pocket of the car, got out and walked around in front of the car. A shot was heard and Mrs. Clark, "Oh, I'm shot." None of the occupants of the car saw the shot fired, they said. Mrs. Clark was taken into Del Rio to San Felipe Hospital where she died a few minutes later.

Mrs. Clark was buried at Del Rio Saturday afternoon.

## TRIAL MARRIAGES ARE TABOO IN ATLANTA, GA.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 10.—Trial marriages, considered the proper thing in China, Ukraine, the South Sea Islands, Timbuktu and a few other places, are taboo in Atlanta.

They were declared so by no less an authority than Judge Johnson in a recent court.

Willie Hubert, negro, and Jessie Clark, who appeared in court and gave the same address to the usual question, were asked whether or not they were man and wife.

"Well, not perfectly," Hubert replied. "But we're engaged."

"Fifteen dollars for you Willie, and your fiancée will have the opportunity of paying \$5 and costs on 12 days' trial marriages don't do here—not while I'm judge."

## HOUSTON RESIGNS TO TAKE \$100,000 JOB

WASHINGTON, March 10.—H. Houston, assistant secretary of commerce, resigned from office tonight.

It was learned he had accepted an offer to manage the World Commerce corporation at a salary reported at \$100,000 per year. In announcing his resignation, Secretary of Commerce Hoover said that Houston was leaving to "accept a very important position."

## LEGISLATURE ADOPTS SULPHUR TAX REPORT

AUSTIN, March 10.—Both the senate and house adopted the house report on the sulphur tax bill fixing the tax at two per cent.

Senator Holbrook authorized the statement that this tax, instead of producing revenue for the state, would kill the sulphur industry in Texas.

## GOMPERS WINS

Veteran Labor Leader Improves, Say Doctors

NEW YORK, March 10.—Physicians in attendance upon Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, believed tonight that despite his advanced age he is winning his fight against the combination of diseases which brought him to death.

A congestion of the kidneys which followed his attack of bronchial pneumonia is slowly disappearing and his pulse and temperature are near normal.

Dr. Gustave G. Fisch, Gompers' personal physician, declared tonight that if the improvement of the last few hours continued his patient would soon be out of danger.

## ARMY MEN TO HEAR PROPOSALS BY C. G.

Reserve officers, national guard officers and those who have made application for commissions in the reserve corps are requested by Major C. H. Fitzgerald, O. R. C., to attend a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, 8 o'clock M.

Officers of interest to officers of all branches of the service will be discussed at this meeting, according to Major Fitzgerald.

He says the commanding general of the 90th and 26th divisions are very anxious for Port Arthur officers to carry out some suggestions that have been offered.

## W. P. McFarland

The Jeweler 431 Proctor

## 'Will Bible Stand Up?' To Be Godbey's Subject

Will the Old Book Stand the Test?

This is the subject Rev. V. A. Godbey has selected for his Sunday night sermon at the First Methodist church, South, Fifth and Atlanta, 7:30 o'clock.

Last Sunday night Rev. Godbey attacked Dr. Grant, the New York "ecclesiastical radical," and more than 100 were turned away. It is announced that extra seats will be provided for the sermon tonight.

## Dr. Upchurch to Preach At Nazarene Church

Address morning and evening by Rev. J. T. Upchurch of Dallas, president of the Berean National Welfare society, will feature services today at the Nazarene church, Twelfth and Waco. Rev. Upchurch arrived yesterday and is the guest of Rev. J. W. Bost, the pastor. The morning service will be held at 11 o'clock and that in the evening at 7:30.

Women students of the University of Pennsylvania are organizing a daily newspaper.

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## GRAND JURY TO MEET MONDAY 2 WOMEN DIE

One Indictment Returned Before Friday Recess

The 38th District court grand jury adjourned at 5:30 o'clock Friday afternoon to convene again Monday morning at 9, after a week's work. Port Arthur members of the grand jury are P. T. Donohoe, A. B. Miles and H. E. McBride.

It is thought that this grand jury will hand out indictments from week to week, instead of letting them accumulate as in some cases. This statement is based upon the fact that one indictment was returned Friday.

Authorities unable to offer an explanation of the mysterious blast announced they believed it the result of foul play.

## CAR THEFT CHARGED

ORANGE, Tex., March 10.—A joint charge of theft was filed against three prisoners in the county jail today. This charge grew out of the theft of an automobile belonging to a negro, jitney driver on the night that four prisoners broke jail. The prisoners were apprehended in Beaumont the following morning.

The United States is rated seventh in the literacy list of leading nations.

Classes in golf for women have been inaugurated at the University of Cincinnati.

## The Ideal, Moderately Priced Apartments for Port Arthur

at 1021 Ninth street, on a lot facing the lake, there is under construction for the owner, Mr. Chas. A. Daley, who is to become a resident of Port Arthur, a two-story duplex apartment house containing four apartments. Each of these apartments consist of a living room, bed room, dining room, kitchen, bath room, a screened-in sleeping porch facing the lake and a screened-in back porch.

This building is being built of the best materials and with due regard for its strength and safety and will be 32 feet wide and 33 feet long, exclusive of the back stairway and stair landing and has been carefully planned for the privacy, comfort and convenience of its tenants and the faults usually found in most duplex houses and apartments, such as noise, lack of privacy and the inconvenience of badly located bath rooms, have been overcome in the following manner, to wit: through the center of the building, both on the ground floor and on the second floor running the entire length of the building from the front entrance to the rear screened-in porch, is a space of four and one-half feet walled in on each side by a six-inch double wall. This space contains the front entrance stairway and the balance is divided into large closets containing shelves and a clothes pole hanger, and are finished in the same degree of fineness as the rooms. These closets being equally divided as to space allotted to each apartment, even to the large store-room closets adjoining the rear porch, each closet is separated by a six-inch double wall, this should make for privacy between each of the apartments.

In the upper story the flooring is doubled, with a layer of heavy deadening felt between the two floors which should lessen the possibility of noise between the upper and lower floors.

The bath room of each apartment is located between the living room and the bed room, the same being entered from a hallway connecting the above rooms. This arrangement does away with the necessity of walking from the front to the rear and through every room in the house to reach the bath room. This latter arrangement being found in quite a few apartments.

In the bed room of each apartment, built in upon the closet door, will be found a full length, beveled edge plate glass mirror, size 22 inches wide and 68 inches high. Each apartment will have all modern conveniences, a gas water heater, gas connections in each room, also brick fire openings for the living room, bath and bed rooms and extra electrical base receptacles. In each kitchen there will be a one piece kitchenette, sink with drain board and a built in cabinet underneath for pots and pans. All interior wood work and the floors will be finished in three coat work throughout using Marmax's Cosmoline varnish.

There will be at the disposal of the tenants four individually locked garage cells for cars and above the garage will be three sets of servants quarters of two rooms each, lighted with electricity, etc. Special attention is called to the sturdy construction of this building as well as its beautiful finish. All the outside studding is 2 by 6, all window and door studs are doubled the entire height of the building—all headers and trimmers are doubled at doors and windows. Ceiling joists and rafters are 2 by 6 and the entire building is thoughtfully planned and built, as the owner is on the job every day acting as superintendent.

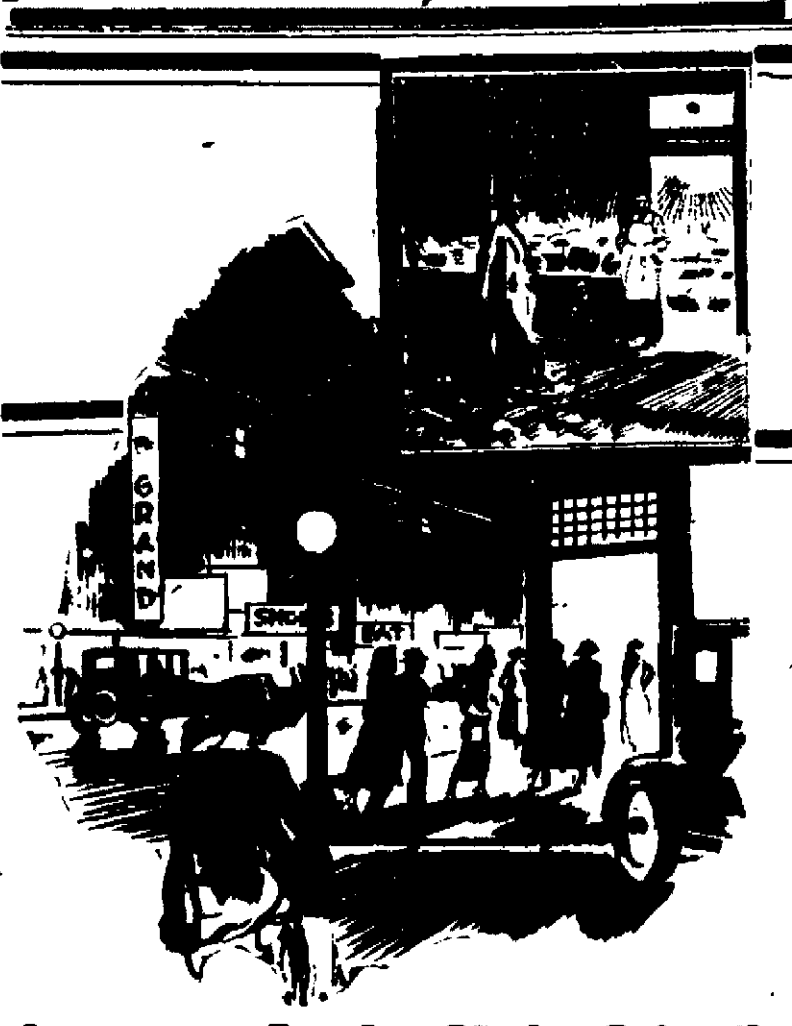
The contract for the construction of this building has been let to the well known and highly esteemed contractor, Preston C. Smith of No. 1220 Tenth street, Phone 2177. He is known to the building public as the man who knows what is right and he does it that way. The writer could not go on without most favorable mention of the thoroughly capable and highly efficient contractor's foreman, Chas. Tanner who takes special pride in building houses, not throwing them up. Not understanding that no expense has been spared to make this building thoroughly modern, the apartments should be let at a very moderate rate, the owner furnishing window shades and water and considering these facts this building should be a welcome addition to our city. The finished apartments should be seen to be properly appreciated.

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